Cambria Freeman.

R. L. JOHNSTON, Editor. HE IS A FREEMAN WHOM THE TRUTH MAKES FREE, AND ALL ARE SLAVES BESIDE. H. A. M'PIKE, Publisher

VOLUME 2. EBENSBURG, PA., THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1868. NUMBER 41.

The Cambria Freeman

WILL BE PUBLISHED

EVERY THURSDAY MORNING,

At Ebensburg, Cambria Co., Pa.

At the following rates, payable within three months from dte of subscribing:

One copy, one year,	$2 00
One copy, six months,	1 00
One copy, three months,	50

Those who fail to pay their subscriptions until after the expiration of six months will be charged at the rate of $2.50 per year, and those who fail to pay until after the expiration of twelve months will be charged at the rate of $3.00 per year.

Twelve numbers constitute a quarter; twenty five, six months; and fifty numbers, one year.

RATES OF ADVERTISING.

One square, 12 lines, one insertion,	$1 00
Each subsequent insertion,	25
Auditor's Notices, each,	2 00
Administrator's Notices, each,	2 50
Executors' Notices, each,	2 50
Estray Notices, each	1 50

	3 mos.	6 mos.	1 yr.
1 square, 12 lines,	$ 2 50	$ 4 00	$ 6 00
2 squares, 24 lines,	5 00	8 00	12 00
3 squares, 36 lines,	7 00	10 00	15 00
Quarter column,	9 50	14 00	25 00
Third column,	11 00	16 00	28 00
Half column,	14 60	25 00	35 00
One Column,	25 00	35 00	60 00

Professional or Business Cards, not exceeding 8 lines, with paper, 6 00

Obituary Notices, over six lines, ten cents per line.

Special and business Notices eight cents per line for first insertion, and four cents for each subsequent insertion.

Resolutions of Societies, or communications of a personal nature must be paid for as advertisements.

JOB PRINTING.

We have made arrangements by which we can do or have done all kinds of plain and fancy Job Printing, such as Books, Pamphets, Show Cards, Bill and Letter Heads, Handbills, Circulars, &c., in the best style of the art and at the most moderate prices. Also, all kinds of Ruling, Blank Books, Book Binding, &c., executed to order as good as the best and as cheap as the cheapest.

M. L. OATMAN,

DEALER IN

CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES

CONSISTING OF

Double Extra Family Flour,

GRAIN, FEED,

BACON, SALT, FISH,

FRESH VEGETABLES,

ALL KINDS OF FRUITS,

SUGARS, TEAS, COFFEES,

SYRUPS, MOLASSES, CHEESE, &c.

Also, a large stock of the

Best Brands of Cigars and Tobacco.

STORE ON HIGH STREET,

Four Doors East of Crawford's Hotel,

Ebensburg, Pa.

LADIES' FANCY FURS!

AT

JOHN FAREIRA'S

old established FUR MANUFACTORY, No 718 ARCH St., above 7th, PHILA.

Have now in store of my own Importation and Manufacture, one of the largest and most beautiful selections of FANCY FURS, for Ladies' and Children's Wear, in the City. Also, a fine assortment of Gents' Fur Gloves and Collars.

I am enabled to dispose of my goods at very reasonable prices, and I would therefore solicit a visit from my friends of Cambria county and vicinity. Remember the Name, Number and Street! **JOHN FAREIRA,**

No. 718 ARCH St., ab. 7th, south side, Phila

October 8, 1868.-4m.

New Firm---New Goods.

THE undersigned, having given his son, J. E. Shields, an interest in his store, the business will hereafter be conducted under the firm name of P. H. Shields & Co., and as we are determined to sell Goods cheap for cash, or exchange for grain, lumber or produce, we hope by strict attention to business to merit a liberal patronage from a generous public.

Having determined to settle up my old books of thirty years standing, I now ask those indebted to me to come forward and make settlement on or before the 1st day of December, 1868. P. H. SHIELDS.

Loretto, Oct. 15, 1868. tf.

SECURE THE SHADOW ERE *THE SUBSTANCE FADES!*

SPENCE'S NEW

PHOTOGRAPH GALLERY

Is now in perfect order for executing Pictures in every style of the art. Photographs of life like accuracy, ranging from the smallest card picture to the largest size for framing, taken in any weather, and warranted to give satisfaction. Particular attention paid to children's pictures. Frames of all kinds for sale cheap. Frames of any kind not on hand will be ordered when desired. Instructions in the art on liberal terms.

☞ Gallery on Julian street, 3 doors north of Town Hall. T. T. SPENCE,

Ebensburg, Oct. 8, 1868. Photographer.

DENTISTRY.—The undersigned, a graduate of the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery, respectfully offers his PROFESSIONA services to the citizens of Ebensburg and vicinity, which place he will visit on the FOURTH MONDAY of each month, to remain one week.

Aug 13. SAM'L BELFORD D. D. S.

DENTISTRY.—Dr. D. W. Zeigler has taken the rooms on High street recently occupied by Lloyd & Co. as a Banking House, and offers his professional services to the citizens of Ebensburg and vicinity. *Teeth extracted without pain by use of Nitrous Oxide or Laughing Gas.*

DR. H. B. MILLER,

ALTOONA, PA.,

Operative and Mechanical DENTIST.

Office on Caroline street, between Virginia and Emma streets. ALL WORK WARRANTED.

Altoona, June 18, 1868.-6m.

M. L. OATMAN,

EBENSBURG, PA.,

Is the sole owner of the Right to Manufacture and sell

THE UNEQUALLED

METROPOLITAN OIL!!

JAMES J. OATMAN, M. D., tenders his professional services as Physician and Surgeon to the citizens of Carrolltown and vicinity. Office in rear of building occupied by J. Buck & Co. as a store. Night calls can be made at his residence, one door south of A. Haug's tin and hardware store. [May 9, 1867.

R. DEVEREAUX, M. D., PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, *Summit, Pa.*—Office east end of Mansion House, on Rail Road street. Night calls may be made at the office. [my23.tf.]

R. J. LLOYD, successor to R. S. BUNN, Dealer in *Drugs, Medicines, Paints, &c.* Store on Main street, opposite the "Mansion House," Ebensburg, Pa. October 17, 1867.-6m.

FRANK W. HAY,

WHOLESALE and RETAIL Manufacturer, of TIN, COPPER and SHEET-IRON WARE, *Canal street*, below Clinton, *Johnstown, Pa.* A large stock constantly hand.

D. M'LAUGHLIN,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, *Johnstown, Pa.*—Office in the Exchange building, on the Corner of Clinton and Locust streets—up stairs. Will attend to all business connected with his profession. Jan. 31, 1867.-tf.

B. L. JOHNSTON, J. E. SCANLAN.

JOHNSTON & SCANLAN,

Attorneys at Law,

Ebensburg, Cambria co., Pa.

Office opposite the Court House.

Ebensburg, Jan. 31, 1867.-tf.

JOHN P. LINTON,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, *Johnstown, Pa.*—Office in building on corner of Main and Franklin street, opposite Mansion House, second floor. Entrance on Franklin street. Johnstown, Jan. 31, 1867. tf.

F. A. SHOEMAKER,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, *Ebensburg, Pa.*—Office on High street, one door East of the Banking House of Lloyd & Co. January 31, 1867. tf.

A. KOPELIN, - - - - T. W. DICK,

Johnstown. Ebensburg.

KOPELIN & DICK, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW, Ebensburg, Pa. Office with Wm. Kittell, Esq., Colonade Row. [oct 22.-tf.

F. P. TIERNEY,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, *Ebensburg, Pa.*—Office in Colonade Row. Jan. 5, 1867-tf.

JOSEPH M'DONALD,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, *Ebensburg, Pa.*—Office on Centre street, opposite Linton's Hotel. [Jan. 31, 1867-tf.

JOHN FENLON,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, *Ebensburg Pa.*—Office on High street, adjoining his residence. Jan 31, 1867.-tf.

GEORGE W. OATMAN,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, *Ebensburg, Pa.*—Office in Colonade Row, Centre street. January 31, 1867.-tf.

WILLIAM KITTELL,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, *Ebensburg, Pa.*—Office in Colonade Row, Centre street. Jan. 31, 1867.-tf.

C. L. PERSHING, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, *Johnstown, Pa.* Office on Franklin street, up-stairs, over John Benton's Hardware Store. Jan. 31, 1867.

WM. H. SECHLER, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Ebensburg, Pa. Office in rooms recently occupied by Geo. M. Reade. Esq., in Colonade Row, Centre street. [aug. 27.

GEO. M. READE, *Attorney-at-Law*, Ebensburg, Pa. Office in new building recently erected on Centre street, two doors from High street. [aug 27.

JAMES C. EASLY, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, *Carrolltown, Cambria Co., Pa.* Collections and all legal business promptly attended to. Jan 31, 1867.

H. KINKEAD, *Justice of the Peace and Claim Agent.*—Office removed to the office formerly occupied by M. Hasson, Esq., dec'd, on High St., Ebensburg. jl3.

J. S. STRAYER, JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, Johnstown, Pa. Office on the corner of Market street and Locust alley, Second Ward. dec.12.-1y.

Poetry and Charades.

A POETICAL GEM.

[To MACSHANE we are indebted for the following stanzas, which seem to us to abound in an artless pathos which is sought in vain in more high-sounding poetry. He heard the author recite the lines, was pleased with them, and obtained a copy of them for publication in the FREEMAN.]

LINES

Anticipatory of a visit to my native village in Scotland.

BY WILLIAM M'OWEN.

I come o'er the waste of waters,
Where the billows seethe and foam,
To gaze on the tombs of my fathers—
To dream of my childhood's home.

To roam through the paths of the wildwood,
Where I wandered long ago;
Plucking the yellow cowslip,
Gathering the glossy sloe:

Wreathing the bonny bluebells
In garlands for sister's hair;
Trembling lest fairy wanderers
Should find me lingering there:

Robbing the gnarled hazels
Of their clusters of ruddy brown;
Clambering o'er rocks and bracken
For bunches of scarlet rowan:

Threading each shady cover,
Where wimpled the mountain stream;
Luring, with rod of hazel,
The trout from his foamy screen:

To stand again on the school green,
Where I wantoned in boyish glee,
And think of the youths and maidens,
That shared those sports with me.

Ah! many like me have wandered
Afar o'er the ocean wave,
And dwelt in the land of the stranger,
And filled a stranger's grave.

Ah! life is a weary journey,
At least I have found it so,
But the greenest spot on that weary road
Are the memories of long ago:

For they come to the sinking spirit,
Like rain to the withering flowers,
And bear it away from low carking cares
To a brighter world than ours:

Where the friends we have loved and cherished
In the days that are long gone by,
Lean o'er the walls of their blessed abodes
And beckon us on to die.

CHARADE, NO. 1.

ORIGINAL.

Come when your country calls,
Should danger o'er her burst;
Reckless what deadly strife appals—
Arouse and do my *first*.

And with that *first* upon the field
Where tyrants would enslave,
It will my *second* prove to wield
The weapon of the brave:

Within the State of Penn
The Allegheny's roll;
Winding through many a lovely glen,
Washes and drains my *whole*.

☞ Answer next week.

CHARADE, NO. 2.

SELECTED.

There is a thing in Amsterdam—
In Rome it doth appear;
'Tis twice in every moment,
And not once in seven years.

☞ Answer next week.

Tales, Sketches, Anecdotes, &c.

MOUND BUILDERS OF TENNESSEE.

STARTLING REVELATIONS WITH RESPECT TO THE EARLY INHABITANTS—IDOLS AND RELICS EXHUMED.

Dr. Joseph Jones, of our city, delivered at Masonic Hall, last night, before a large and intelligent assemblage of our citizens, a most instructive and interesting lecture upon the Mound-Builders of Tennessee. In almost all portions of our State are found large artificial mounds, the product of a race of people very different from the savages who were familiar to the early settlers. The relics have often excited the curiosity of those who saw and examined them. During the war, when the State was in the hands of the Federal forces, the excavations made at Chattanooga, Knoxville, Murfreesboro and Nashville, revealed a great many curious remains which were carried away to the North. Previous to the labors of Dr. Jones, however, no systematical effort had been entered into to collect and classify the antiquities and remains of the people who constructed the mounds and built the graves which are so numerous all over Tennessee. The doctor commenced last year a series of explorations which he continued with unabated ardor up to within three weeks ago. The result of his labors in the antiquarian field has been most gratifying. He has succeeded in collecting a finer array of relics and remains than ever was secured of any other extinct American race. The rostrum of the hall last night was covered with a large number of novel implements, human remains, vases, ornaments, idols, etc., which had been exhumed under his supervision from the mounds of our State. The doctor gave an account of his researches into a large mound in Giles county. Here, in the centre of the pyramid, he discovered the remains of a great chief, buried with numerous relics, and around him the skeletons of some of his subjects. Drifting into the sides of the artificial mounds, ashes, bits of pottery, and bones of both human beings and animals were found, mixed up in one incongruous conglomeration, often with beautiful specimens of vases and shell ornaments. Specimens of the burned crust of these mounds, beneath the present soil, were exhibited. Two large stone idols were shown, carved out of a dark iron-colored rock, the largest some thirteen inches in height, and the others perhaps four inches less in stature. One represented a female, and has the hair gathered up behind under a diminutive sort of a waterfall, while in the longer specimen, that of a male, the hair was represented twisted into a sort of queue, not unlike the style of our forefathers in the revolutionary times. The lecturer, to please the lady hearers, gave a short description of the *tout-ensemble* of one of the female mound-builders. With hair gathered in a graceful knot behind, ears pierced and filled full of rings of shell or bone, nose likewise ornamented with an enormous balancing weight, she must have been an enchanting creature. Two copper crosses were exhibited, together with three vases, the outsides of which were divided into three regular compartments, having three crosses and three crowns, symbolic, the doctor claimed, of the christian religion, the Trinity and the Virgin Mary. The signs of the Catholic religion, he stated, were wonderfully prominent in a great many of the relics thus far brought to light. On the great mound near Franklin, two hundred and thirty feet in diameter, evidently stood a gigantic temple of the sun. Religious symbols were plentiful there. Two remarkable vases were exhumed, one not unlike a child's foot, with the opening at the heel, and the other surmounted with a carved head with a helmet, having a remarkable resemblance to that of a Spanish cavalier. The speaker inferred from this that the extinct people were not unfamiliar with the haughty race whose conquest of Mexico and Peru read almost like a romance of the wildest character. Here he found, too, the skeleton of a child, the face of which was covered with a curious shell-bearing occult hieroglyphics, among which could be distinguished perfect triangles. This mound was graced with the stump of a tree, which, when cut down twenty years ago, could not have been less than two centuries old. An idol exhumed from the mouth of Lick Branch, Nashville, was also displayed, and a small female effigy in white clay, with the marks of the cross upon the shoulders. The doctor everywhere found traces that the Aborigines of the country may have come in contact with civilized nations long before the discovery of America by Columbus. He gave a short sketch of some of the explorations of the Scandinavians, Danes, and Icelanders, and the colonies they founded in the new world. But to these fearless navigators could not be ascribed the knowledge the mound-builders of Tennessee had of the cross and the symbols of religion. It was rather to be referred to a later period, when the early Catholic missions were founded upon the shores of the new world, some three hundred years ago.

In 1564 the Catholic sovereign of Spain was attacked with a terrible religious zeal, and he sent out one Francisco with a large body of co-workers to convert and evangelize the Indians. They planted themselves at St. Augustine, on the shores of Florida, and for twenty-five years the missionary was very successful. He founded a great many missions, and partially christianized a great many of the savages. Delegates were sent to the parent society of St. Augustine and to the convent of St. Helena. The Spaniards appear to have encouraged marriages between the young people of their own race and those of the Indians, and to have lived with them on terms of the greatest intimacy. The mound-builders of Tennessee, the doctor thought, must certainly have belonged to the great Natchez tribe, who, coming from the South, spread themselves throughout the valley of the Mississippi and the larger branches. When in the height of their empire they probably numbered five hundred thousand. The lecturer thought it extremely curious, the mixture of christianity and idolatry found among these people. While the great fundamental principles of the true religion was so familiar to them, they worshipped stone effigies and adored the sun, and were probably guilty of human sacrifices. The doctor exhibited a great number of implements of warfare, such as stone axes, arrow heads, knives, spears, &c. Also culinary utensils, mortars used for grinding Indian corn and paint. The lecturer was listened to throughout with the greatest interest, but time fails us for more than a passing sketch of its riches. We understand that a scientific society of the East will soon publish a book, from the pen of Dr. Jones, on the antiquities of our State, with particular reference to the mound-builders of Tennessee. We feel assured that it will prove one of the most interesting books of the kind ever published in this country.

ELM BARK is very generally used in Norway for making leather, and it is said the fine Norway gloves are prepared from it, and that the softness and beauty are attributable to this bark.

Death of Joan D'Arc.

BY MARY COWDEN CLARKE.

There is something infinitely touching in the saint's and hero's relapse into simple humanity and womanhood on that dark, unnatural May morning, when the heavy news was told here that she must die before sunset. She wept bitterly.—Like Jeptha's daughter, she mourned that her pure and beauteous body should be thus early sacrificed, exclaiming, "Helas! me traitation ainsi horriblement et cruellement, qu'il faille que mon corps, net et entier, qui ne fut jamais corrompu, soit anjour d'hui consume et rendu en cendres!" She shrank, and shrieked, and writhed at the thought of the flames, pitying herself for the pain. But the saint triumphs soon—even through the fiery vista before her she sees a better kingdom than France, a better home than Domremy. Even in this death she recognizes the "deliverance" promised her by "the voices."

She appealed to God from the injustice and cruelty of earth; she partook of the holy sacrament; with many tears she uttered her touching and tremendous words to the Bishop of Beauvais, a summons to answer for her death before God. What a childlike naturalness! A plaintive naivete marked the words she addressed to one of the preachers standing by: "Ah, Maitre Perre, where shall I be this evening?"

We can fancy the tearful, wistful look, the terrified tremble of the hands, and all the voice broken in sobs, with which she said this. Then, as the priest replied, "Have you not good hope in the Saviour?" the light of re-assurance, the smile, the clasped hands, the heavenward gaze, the voice clear and fervid, as she said "O, yes, God aiding, I shall be in Paradise!"

Bound and borne in a cart, like a common malefactor, surrounded by a guard of eight hundred English soldiers, Joan D'Arc passed through the streets of Rouen to the market-place; but in the eyes of the angels that awful hour must have thrown into the shade all foregone hours of triumph—grander to them than the proudest conqueror in his triumphal car, followed by princely captives and the spoils of kingdoms.

At the stake the maid again bravely proclaimed her faith in "the voices," and nobly defended her king. Her sublime yet meek composure, her marvellous womanly sweetness, filled many of her persecutors with wonder, pity and vain remorse. The people looked on as in a horrible dream, weeping, groaning, praying, but powerless to help. One last word of reproach shivered the petrified heart of the Bishop of Beauvais, cleft its way to a deep, unsuspected vein of human feeling, and let it out in tears.

The scaffold towered high above the crowd, a huge pile of fagots lit at the base, a gigantic altar of the sacrifice, a fiery Calvary.

When the flames uncoiled themselves from below, and darted up in angry, flashing lengths, hissing and writhing; when they struck their fangs into her flesh, the flesh cried out in shrieks that must have echoed forever through the guilty souls who heard.

Well had the young martyr learned the self-forgetful spirit. In her agony, through the flame and smoke of her torment, she saw the danger of the faithful priest who held the crucifix aloft, and entreated him to leave her. He went; he bore from her sight the image of her crucified Lord but he left beside her, in the midst of the flames, the Lord himself. May not her last cry of "Jesus!" have been, not a cry of fear or supplication, but of joy and recognition, as she sprang through the fiery gate of martyrdom into the welcoming arms of His compassion—into the bosom of His infinite love?

A Touching Scene in Court.

Mr. D. G. Gibbon, student of medicine, was called up before one of the Randolph street justices in Chicago last week, on a disorderly conduct warrant, sworn out by Miss Susan Neil. The complainant was a very pretty girl. She blushed, hid her face, and stated that she was forced to take the present step only by the obstinacy of the prisoner. These two had been engaged and many gifts and notes had passed between them. One day, for the merest nothing, he had picked a quarrel, broken the match and her heart, and yet refused to return the seven love letters, the old glove, the curl and the ribbon she had given him. She supposed he kept them, and showed them to his wicked associates, and boasted of them as trophies of his conquest of a fond and girlish heart.

His Honor looked gloomily at Mr. Gibbon—there was a Bridewell in his eye.

Mr. Gibbon replied that he greatly preferred attempting an amputation at the hip joint to falling in love with a woman. If a fellow had any feeling of security about it, it might be different, but there never was any telling where one was to fetch up. He had tried romantic young ladies, and literary young ladies, and had come to grief in every instance. Finally he had settled on Miss Susan, who was described to him to be a matter of fact, biscuit-baking young woman. He had paid her addresses, making little gifts of saleratus and blueing, and receiving in return some ginger cakes. She was not to be led too deeply into sentiment. If he spoke of poetry, she spoke of pastry. If he talked of radiant hopes, she spoke of washing soap. A few days ago he went to see her, and found her preserving.—Something in the looks of the paper which she had put over the cans struck him, and he looked and found she had used his love letters for that purpose. That seemed a little too cool, and he spoke of it to her. She replied that it was a wise idea of hers. All those beginning "Dear Susan" went over the peaches, and all those beginning "My own love" over the apples. She wished he would write one more of the latter, in order to make up the number she wanted. He felt such a woman would never do for him, and has broken off the match. As for returning her letters, it was out of the question. The words of love they contained were a part of himself. When he saw them it brought the old days back—the melodies of the youth of their love, heard before the roses had withered, before he had ceased giving her saleratus.

During these remarks the court wiped its eyes, took from its pocket a spare handkerchief, a small dictionary, some blank forms, an almanac, and at last, a small tin box, which looked as if it might, at some time, have held Seidlitz powders. This box the court opened, and took out a little parcel tied up in red tape, on which it dropped a tear and then said:

"Twenty-four years ago this court loved a girl living near Downer's Grove. This court corresponded with that girl by the weekly stage. In a moment of frenzy that girl jilted this court, and demanded her letters and a string of beads. This court replied it would not return the beads, which it had traded at a grocery store, and that it would not return the letters, when entreated by a brother to give them up. This court, to the great lacreration of its feelings, knocked down that brother and stamped upon him. It still retains those letters, though she who wrote them has emigrated to Missouri.—Now this court does not intend to stultify itself by taking any action against the defendant, who will be discharged. As for the complainant, she will be fined $10, which sum this court would assess on the person that jilted it, if it could get hold of her."

A Sheep Story.

A few weeks since a statement went the rounds of the press that the hay-seed which was scattered in the wool of some sheep belonging to Richard Batchelder, of Salisbury, N. H., while feeding them in the winter, had sprouted on turning them out in the spring, and the sheep were bearing about with them a crop of grass two inches in length. This story probably reached the poetical editor of the New York *Mail* on one of our late hot days, and this is the way he tells it. This version should be read aloud:

"This is the most interesting story that ever we have seen, concerning some New Hampshire sheep who are wearing of the green. 'Twas related by a person on whose honor we rely, he never hacked cherry-trees, and—shouldn't tell a lie. Robert Batchelder, this was the shepherd's name, and he pastured twenty-eight sheep on Salisbury Plain. But when the leaves had fallen, and November winds were chill, why out on the open world they couldn't get their fill. So Bobby kindly put them in a well-protected shed, with hay enough to feed them in the mow up overhead. And the seed it sifted down and it lodged in there wool, and there it did remain till the April moon was full. And then out went the mutton, all in the rain, you know, and, in less than twenty-one days, the seed began to grow; and it grew, and it grow-ed like the bean in fairy song, and now the grass upon their backs is more'n two inches long. And, it is expected, that later in the year, red, fragrant clover blossoms will appear. The moral of this tale is clear to every eye, that by judicious management, if a person cared to try, he might, with little trouble, and with aid of rainy weather, have his lamb and peas growing up together."

PUNCTUAL EVEN UNTO MARRIAGE.—A young man in Dent county was engaged to be married to a handsome young lady recently. Now, it so happened that Jack and the handsome young lady in question lived on opposite sides of the uncertain stream called Dry Fork. It happened also that on Saturday night it rained, and Sunday morning found Dry Fork up booming. The handsome girl on one side was in a peck of fidgets lest Jack Black on the other side would not be able to "make the ripple." But Jack was a brave fellow, and was bent on getting married. He accordingly mounted and set out for the house of his intended. Arriving at the creek, and finding it past fording, he followed up its bank until he reached a point above the confluence of the three forks forming the main stream of Dry Fork, hoping to cross there without swimming. But his trip did not save him from a ducking. On the contrary, it increased his misfortune to the extent of two extra duckings. Instead of one he had three creeks to cross, all up swimming. He plunged in and swam them, through, like a man; and, we are happy to say, arrived just in time to be married at the appointed time.

THE nations speaking English own three fourths of all the coal in the world.

The Mysterious Bed.

A traveler while wending his way through the eastern part of the State of New York stopped over night at the village of S——— with some friends, who were great wags. In one of the bed rooms of the house there was a bedstead fastened by pullies to the ceiling. Night time came, and the traveler was shown to this room. A girl led the way, candle in hand, and after pointing out the bed, departed with the light, saying that she needed it for the other lodgers. The traveler undressed, and groped his way to the bed, or to the spot where he had seen it, but was amazed to find that it had disappeared. From corner to corner he groped, but the search was useless. Somewhat frightened, he commenced shouting, proclaiming that the house was bewitched. The landlord and two or three of his guests, bearing lights, answered his emphatic summons, and just as he was about tell the story of the missing bed, he looked, and lo! there it stood, as it was before. He tried to inform them of his inability to find the bedstead, but they only laughed at him, telling him he must be crazy.—Bidding him good night, and advising him to go to bed at once and sleep off his delirium, they left him. As soon as they had shut the door he made a dive for the bed, and landed on the floor. He then began to halloa and yell louder than ever, and darted for the door. In attempting to descend the stairs he fell headlong to the bottom, making such a terrible noise that all the inmates rushed to him to learn the cause of the disaster. Again he told his story, but it was received with ridicule. To satisfy him that he had been mistaken, one of the guests proposed to enter the room with him and remain there until he should fall asleep. The proposition was gladly accepted, and in about twenty minutes the traveler was round asleep. The wags then gently hoisted the bedstead almost to the ceiling, and commenced shouting, "fire, murder, etc." Thoroughly alarmed, he sprang out of bed; but the distance being fully six times what he had calculated, he imagined that he had fallen over fifty feet. Fear seemed to strengthen his lungs, and he shouted like a trooper, proclaiming that the house was haunted, and that the imp of darkness had attempted to fly away with him. The other guests who had entered the room, coolly pointed to the bedstead, saying that it could not have moved; but they were unable to shake the belief that his infernal majesty had taken refuge in the mysterious bed.

ROMANTIC ADVENTURE.—Some years ago, says the Chicago *Post*, a son of one of our wealthiest and most respected citizens one day very suddenly left his home and every comfort that wealth and the most indulgent and affectionate parents could procure, and disappeared with a traveling circus troupe. The young man was then nearly twenty-one years of age and seemed to be prompted to this strange freak by a pure dislike of control and a desire to see the world. Years passed away, and no tidings were heard of the wanderer, and the parents, now approaching old age, had begun to give up all hope of ever seeing or hearing of him again.—About a year ago, a citizen of Chicago, being in Savannah, Ga., chanced to meet the truant upon the street, and accosted him by name. The young man, however, denied his identity, but the gentleman told him that it was needless to try and deceive him, as he knew him too well, and finally the wanderer acknowledged his name.—He soon slipped away, however, and was again lost sight of. The other day Bailey's Circus Company pitched their tent here, and among the performers was the long lost son, who presently sought his father's house in company with his wife, a very worthy young lady who had been connected with the establishment, and whom he had married some time ago. They were welcomed and made at once at home, and the young man has settled quietly and sensibly down after his wanderings, and will cheer the declining years of his aged parents.

PRETTY GOOD.—Many incidents of an amusing character happened during the late war, which have never found their way into print, but which are too good to be lost. The following, we believe, has not heretofore met the public eye:

Wash Petty, a noted bushwhacker, whilst foraging in Southwest Missouri with his followers, rode up to a farmhouse whose owner was known to have ample provisions for man and beast, but whose politics were best known to himself.—Petty and his men being dressed in Federal uniform, were mistaken by the farmer for jayhawkers. He began to declare most positively that he was a "Union man; God never made a better." Petty said, "We are hunting your sort; we are rebel bushwackers." Whereupon the farmer changed his tactics and declared just as positively that he was a "Southern man." "Look here, old man," said Petty, "you don't know to which side we belong, and you must take one side or the other, and stick to it; if you happen to take the wrong side we'll kill you." This staggered the old man considerably, but after thinking a minute, he said: "Well, I said at the start I was a Union man; I'll stick to it if it is a d—d lie."

He was left to enjoy his peculiar opinion without further molestation.

THE FREEMAN.

EBENSBURG, PA.,

THURSDAY, : : : : : Nov. 12, 1868.

The Result of the Election.

The election is over—and the Democrats are defeated. We bow submissively to the will of the people, as expressed through the legitimate channels.

We labored earnestly and honestly to prevent this result, believing, as we did, that Radical success would perpetuate the evils under which our country is laboring. Our gains have been large, as compared with the Presidential election of 1864, but not sufficient to overcome the majorities by which the Radicals retained the power they had acquired in 1860.

Still those gains have given us a large increase of strength in Congress. In all of the Middle and some of the Western States we have shown additional strength. This will tend to check the downward tendency of our national legislation.

While the Democrats have been defeated the Radicals have not been successful. An early survey of the field satisfied the Radicals that they could not carry the election on principle, and with a Radical candidate. In short, they arrived at the conclusion, from indications of popular opinion, that Gen. Grant was the only man with whom they could succeed, and they nominated him.

It was true he had never in his life voted a Radical ticket. It was true his antecedents were all Democratic. It was true he had sustained Lincoln and Johnson in their views on Reconstruction. It was true that he had never, by word or act, committed himself to the principles or the policy of the Radicals. But if all this was true, it was equally true that Grant was a successful military chieftain, and that Grant had never committed himself to the endangering dogmas of the ultra-Radicals; and that, therefore, he was the man—the only man—with whom they could achieve success.

No man less objectionable to Democrats could have been named than Gen. Grant. It is true we did not believe him qualified to exercise those acts of statesmanship which distinguished the career of our Democratic Presidents, but we did believe, and do *know*, that he is no Radical.

He will find on his accession to the Presidential chair, a powerful party opposed to those who lifted him to place and power. He will find that party, as it always has been, true to the honor of the country and the rights of the citizen. He will find it "willing to praise, but not afraid to blame."

The Democrats are more numerous in Congress, and backed by a larger and bolder constituency, than they have been at any time since 1860. If the President fearlessly does his duty under the Constitution and Laws, he will find them powerful agents in sustaining him, if he ignores the great landmarks of American Liberty, he will find them equally determined in opposing him.

Whatever betide during the incoming administration, we implore every true Democrat not to despair of his country; and, least of all, when our patriotism is becoming appreciated, and our numbers are increasing. Never despair of the Republic, but, as our patriotic forefathers have done, watch over her interests as you would over the fortunes of your own children.

Know-Nothing Falsehood.

The following has a prominent place in the last *Alleghanian*. We commend it to our foreign born and Catholic readers:

"The Youngstown District, in Westmoreland county, contains the Catholic Monastery of St. Xavier. Its inmates are nearly, if not all, foreigners. Few of them had naturalization papers. But all voted. No challenges were permitted. A person attempting it was silenced and told if he persisted he should be arrested. The boxes were literally crammed, without either form or fear of law."

Now, we will bet either of the editors of the *Alleghanian* $500 that not a member of "the Catholic Monastery of St. Xavier" voted unless he was either a native or naturalized citizen. Such stuff we would expect from Covode, a born Know-Nothing, and his toadies, but the *Alleghanian* does not believe it, and ought not to publish it. It is pretty hard fare for its Catholic readers to charge that their clergymen and *religieuse* are guilty of perjury; and violation of the election laws.

The Next Congress.

The Lancaster *Intelligencer*, one of our very best exchanges, says: "The Forty-first Congress will be composed of 144 Radicals and 85 Democrats. It is possible the number of Democrats may be increased two or three more, but they will certainly have 85 members in the next House of Representatives. That will strike down the two-thirds majority, by means of which the Radicals have perpetrated so much mischief. Should Gen. Grant see fit to hold Congress to constitutional legislation, his vetoes cannot be overridden, as were those of Andrew Johnson. We hope he may prove to be a wise and moderate ruler. If he should [illegible] be compelled to rely upon the Democratic minority, for we do not believe the Radicals will voluntarily pause in their mad career. The country will look to General Grant for an example of moderation and true statesmanship. If he exercises it the people will give him full credit, and no portion of the populace will more cordially approve his acts than the masses of the great Democratic party."

Not Beaten!

The New York *Democrat* don't talk much about giving it up. It says:

No, never! By the Heavens above us, and the blood-soaked, sacred soil beneath our feet, this shall never be! We are still men! We come of a stock which spurns the chain and defies the tyrant!

Then stand to your arms, white men of America! Though the victory is not won, the cause is not lost! You are still as great, as strong as ever! You have still a country, homes, children! Liberty, in chains, still beckons you to her rescue! God of our fathers! can we hold back from such a solicitation? Can we give over the struggle while freedom is denied us? Shall one-half the Union be surrendered to African barbarism, and the whole to the tyrant's sway? Will we become the willing slaves of money kings, and learn to speak,

"In a bondman's key,
With 'bated breath and whispering humbleness?"

Perish the thought! Trample on the suggestion, and curse the source from which it came. The grand, heroic, old Democratic party, ever the party of the country, of the Constitution, of Liberty! is not dead. Its work is not done; its glory is not dimmed; its scepter is not forever departed! Born with the Republic, ever true to it, bearing it onward in its strong arms, and guiding it by its enlightened and patriotic counsels for seventy years, in honor, freedom prosperity and greatness, it is the only historical party of the country; it is the only guardian of the Constitution; it is the only hope of Liberty! It cannot die and the Republic live! They are bound in a common fate, as they are linked in a common history!

Then, to the Democracy of the Union, we say, disband not, lay not down your arms, retire not from the field from which the enemy has failed to drive you, but hold fast to your lines, put your array in order, look well to the condition of your arms, keep your power dry, and still face and press the foe! Renew the fight, and keep it red-hot! Let every man feel that he is enlisted for the war, and resolve that the war shall never end until the foe be conquered, and freedom be won!

Remember that it is a battle for life?—For the life the Republic! Aye, and for the lives of your children who, if we do not save them, will perish in *bonds*. Then pluck up resolution, and make the fight as desperate as the case is urgent. Be every man a hero, with but one thought—to save his country and make it again "the land of the free!"

"No fearing, no doubting, thy soldier shall know,
When here stands his country, and yonder her foe;
One look at the bright sun, one prayer to the sky,
One glance where our banner floats glorious on high,
Then on, as the young lion bounds on his prey,
Let the sword flash on high, FLING THE SCABBARD AWAY;
Roll on like the thunderbolt over the plain!
We come back in glory, or come not again."

Literary Notices.

BALLOU'S MONTHLY MAGAZINE, published by Elliott, Thomes & Talbot, No. 63 Congress street, Boston, for December, is also received. It is a well printed and well-illustrated magazine of 100 pages, monthly, and pubished at the low terms of $1.50 per annum. It is a compendium of useful reading, and worthy of general patronage.

THE MUSICAL WORLD for November comes to us overflowing with beautiful and attractive new music. "Kate O'Shane," an exquisite new song and chorus by J. R. Thomas; Belle Mahone's Reply, "At the Gate I wait for Thee," song and chorus, and "Woodland Echoes," a fine pianoforte piece by A. P. Wyman, are among the musical contents of the present number, which would cost in sheet form $1.30. Besides this choice music, a large amount of interesting reading is given: "Music Making," "The Honest Little Musician," "Musical Hints," News, Gossip, Correspondence, &c., are contained in this number. All persons subscribing this month will receive the November and December numbers of this year *free*, being fourteen numbers for one dollar. Beautiful premiums are offered for clubs. Terms only $1 per annum. Send ten cents for specimen copies. Address the publishers, S. BRAINARD & SONS, Cleveland, Ohio.

THE HEARTH AND HOME.—A circular received from those enterprising and reliable advertising agents, Messrs. S. M. Pettengill & Co., No. 37 Park Row, New York, informs us that they intend to issue, on or before the first of January next, the initial number of a Weekly Rural and Family Paper, bearing the above title, which will be devoted to all that pertains to country life in its broadest sense. It will be neither partisan nor sectarian in its tone, but will be a medium for the dissemination of useful, instructive, entertaining and pleasing information. Neither labor nor expense will be spared to make it, in subject matter as well as illustration, worthy of a place in every household in the land. The names of Mr. Donald G. Mitchell and Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe are mentioned in connection with it, and other of the best literary talent in the country has been enlisted in the enterprise. Pettengill, Bates & Co. will be the proprietors, and we can only hope that it will meet with the abundant success which we feel confident it cannot fail to merit in such able hands.

WATSON'S PHILADELPHIA BUSINESS DIRECTORY FOR 1869.—We call the attention of our Merchants to this new and valuable little work of reference to the Trade of Philadelphia, and commend its utility to every merchant buying goods, or doing business with Philadelphia to the extent of a thousand dollars a year. It will contain a classified list of all the Merchants, Manufacturers, and Professional men of Philadelphia, arranged in systematic alphabetical order, a well executed Lithographic Map of the City, and views of the Public Buildings, with other objects of interest in and around the Quaker City. In ordering goods, directing correspondence, or ascertaining where to obtain any article of trade, or manufacture, it will be indispensible to our merchants. Such a work is much needed, and its popularity, and the standing of the publishers, is vouched for by the Daily Inquirer, Telegraph, and the leading Daily and Weekly Press of Philadelphia. Messrs. Watson & Co., 219 Dock Street, Philadelphia, are the Publishers, and will send the work as soon as issued, by mail, postage prepaid, upon the receipt of One Dollar. Send your subscriptions in immediately.

News of the Week.

..Herds of buffalo, according to letter writers, dispute the passage of trains on the Kansas Pacific Railroad.

..Gold is reported to have been found in New Hampshire and Vermont in quantities sufficient to pay miners.

..It is predicted that President Johnson will receive the Democratic nomination for Governor of Tennessee.

..A woman in Vienna is realizing a fortune by means of trained goldfinches that draw numbers from a small bowl.

..The champion drinker of lager beer in Cleveland has accomplished 100 glasses in one day, and invites any one to beat it.

..The Indiana farmers are selling their corn in the field at 50 cents a bushel, to be fed to hogs, which sell for 8 cents a pound.

..The Louisville *Journal* has united with the *Courier* of the same city. They will be published hereafter as the Louisville *Courier and Journal*.

..Mrs. Partington (P. B. Shillaber) was a Democratic candidate for the Massachusetts Legislature in the recent election, and was defeated.

..Mr. John Quincy Adams was a candidate for Representatives from Quincy as well as for Governor of Massachusetts, and was defeated in both instances.

..Over ten thousand dollars were expended in keeping alive the John Allen prayer meetings, at New York, and now Water street is worse than ever before.

..James H Herrick, of Lodi, Illinois, aged eighty-one, was married last week, at Dover, Ohio, to Miss Mary Chatfield, the same age. The parents made no objection.

..A gentleman of Newport, R. I., has invented and patented a new apparatus to answer the double purpose of heating railroad cars in winter and ventilating them in summer.

..A haunted house in Savannah had three fearful midnight raps every night. People kept awake until it was found that the next door neighbor knocked his ashes out of his pipe at that time.

..The latest returns from New York show that Hoffman's majority for Governor in that State will be more than thirty thousand. The majority for Seymour is about thirteen thousand.

..Only four hundred miles more of the Pacific railway remain to be constructed. Two hundred miles will be finished this winter, and the road will be completed probably by the middle of May.

..Ashley whines like a sick puppy over his defeat, and says it was brought about by "slander." The fellow who can slander Ashley must have a genius for lying that would beat the devil.

..Seven negro preachers have been sent to one prison in Mississippi for breaking into houses, and for stealing children.—They were all shining members of the Loyal League, but now they are "sweet blighted lilies."

..Butler has a bottle of wine 108 years old, which he pretends a Southern gentleman gave him. More likely some Southern cellar gave it to him when the gentleman was absent. Those Southern cellars were very liberal to Butler.

..The crowning statue for Gettysburg national cemetery monument has arrived. It represents the Goddess of Liberty, stands twelve feet high, and weighs 14,000 pounds. It was modeled and cut in Italy by Randolph Rogers.

..Two negroes in Connecticut have been sentenced to the State prison for life, for rape. It would be just to send the white rascals, who have encouraged them to suppose that they may do anything with impunity, along with them.

..A new method of laying down the rails on the Union Pacific Railroad is about being tried, by which it is believed the progress of track laying will be greatly accelerated. The ties are to be placed and the rails laid down simultaneously.

..The negroes are fast adopting the manners and customs of the "poor white trash." An ebony couple were united in matrimony in Evansville, Ind., the other day, having fled to that place from Kentucky to escape the wrath of "cruel parients."

..An Alexandria lady, who has been unwell for some time past, a night or two since, in her sleep, wandered away from her home, and, after visiting the graveyards, was found in a field adjoining the northwestern suburbs of the city, in her night apparel.

..The total vote cast by the three States of Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana, at the October election, reached the enormous figure of 1,512,094. The same States, at the Presidential election in 1864, cast only 1,324,084 votes, so that in four years the number has increased 188,010.

..The Radicals of the interror counties of New York, as a last means of getting rid of Democratic rule, propose a division of the State, setting off New York city and county, Kings, Queens, Suffolk and Richmond counties, all giving Democratic majorities, into a *new State*, to be called Manhattan.

..Minnesota has not so high an appreciation of ability to play the blackguard in Congress as Massachusetts.—Ignatius Donnelly has been defeated in the former State, and Butler selected by a large majority in the latter. Minnesota has much to learn before she can consider herself a thoroughly Republican State.

..The fountain on the grounds of Mr. Seth Hunt, at Bennington, Vermont, is the highest but one in the world. It is drawn from the hills through a six inch pipe, throwing a stream one hundred and sixty-eight feet, presenting the appearance at short distance of a single silver bar.—Its cost was twenty-five thousand dollars.

..Where the carcass is there will be the eagles. Now for the distribution of the spoils. No man is to remain twenty-four hours in office after the 4th of March—whether a life long Republican or Conservative. The pap must go around.—The loyal tanners and the loyal leaguers—the army of the Republic and the new recruits—must all have a chance. The trouble will be, in the classic language of the late lamented Abraham Lincoln, that [illegible]

..Robert Hanna, of Lock Haven, ex-Sheriff of Clinton county, accidently killed himself last week. In company with others he left his home in good health and excellent spirits, to engage in the exciting sport of hunting deer. Wednesday morning he started to the woods with his dog and gun, and about four o'clock, P. M., was found by his companions dead, evidently having accidentally shot himself.

..As the mail train bound east on the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad, was recently approaching Van Wert, east of Fort Wayne, the engineer, Israel Adams, discovered a child on the track. To stop the train in time to save it was impossible. Running out on the cow-catcher, and reaching out, he caught the child and lifted it on the engine, without injuring a hair of its head, although the proceeding was one full of danger to himself.

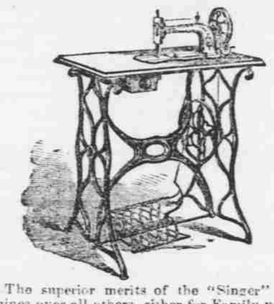
..Dispatches in the New York Tribune state that, in Iowa and Minnesota, the amendments to the constitutions of those States, establishing "impartial suffrage," have been adopted in the late election. In Minnesota, according to the census of 1860, there were but 259 negroes, which would give about fifty voters. In Iowa there were 1,069 negroes, which would give 214 voters. The majority for the amendment in Iowa is reported at 20,000, and in Minnesota at 6,000.

..In Milford, Mass., on Saturday night week, while some young Irish people were celebrating All Hallow Eve, with games usual to the occasion, two young girls went into a garden to procure a head of cabbage, when the owner, a man about sixty years of age, fired at them, killing one—Bridget Murray, of Boston—by shooting her through the head. A few weeks ago a clergyman near Boston shot a boy for picking apples off the ground in his garden. No doubt if these things had occurred in the South they would have been set down as Ku-Klux outrages, but in Massachusetts they are "on the contrary, quite the reverse."

..The new authorities in Spain appear to be in a bad way for money. The Treasury is so frightfully low, that they hardly know what to do for means to pay expenses. It is reported that they seek to raise a loan of two hundred millions of crowns, at six per cent; and they will certainly be very lucky if they succeed.—The revolution has upset things to such an extent, that a deficit of fifty thousand pounds sterling in the revenue this year is anticipated. It is now pretty certain that things in Spain have been overturned for good; but whether for the good of the people or not is a question to be decided by time.

OUR NEW FAMILY

SEWING MACHINE!!



The superior merits of the "Singer" Machines over all others, either for Family use or Manufacturing purposes, are so well established and so generally admitted, that an enumeration of their relative excellences is no longer considered necessary.

OUR NEW FAMILY MACHINE,

which has been brought to perfection regardless of time, labor, or expense, is now confidently presented to the public as incomparably the BEST SEWING MACHINE IN EXISTENCE.

The machine in question is SIMPLE, COMPACT, DURABLE and BEAUTIFUL. It is quiet, light running, and CAPABLE OF PERFORMING A RANGE AND VARIETY OF WORK never before attempted upon a single Machine, using either Silk, Twist, Linen or Cotton Thread, and sewing with equal facility the very finest and coarsest materials, and anything between the two extremes, in the most beautiful and substantial manner. Its attachments for Hemming, Braiding, Cording, Tucking, Quilting, Felling, Trimming, Binding, &c., are NOVEL and PRACTICAL, and have been invented and adjusted especially for this Machine.

New designs of the Unique, Useful and Popular Folding Tops and Cabinet Cases, peculiar to the Machines manufactured by this Company, have been prepared for enclosing the new Machine.

A faint idea, however, can at best be conveyed through the medium of a (necessarily) limited advertisement; and we therefore urge every person in quest of a Sewing Machine by all means to examine and test, if they can possibly do so, all the leading rival Machines before making a purchase. A selection can then be made understandingly. Branches or agencies for supplying the "Singer" Machines will be found in nearly every city and town throughout the civilized world, where Machines will be cheerfully exhibited and any information promptly furnished. Or communications may be addressed to

The Singer Manufacturing Company,
458 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK,

PHILADELPHIA OFFICE, 1106 CHESTNUT STREET.

☞C. T. ROBERTS, Agent for Ebensburg and vicinity, keeps these Machines constantly for sale at his store on High street. The public are respectfully invited to call and see them in operation. Instructions given free. Machines sold at city prices. NO FREIGHT CHARGED. Also, Singer's Needles, Oil, Silk and Cotton always on hand. [aug 20-1y.

Precautionary Medication.

If the importance of PROTECTIVE MEDICATION were more generally appreciated, our mortuary statistics would soon show a wonderful decrease in the number of fatal results of disease. Millions of people are crowded together in districts where they are constantly exposed to the miasmatic virus which produces Ague, Jaundice, Fever and Ague, and kindred complaints; and millions more are continually visiting or traveling through those parts of the country where febrile diseases infest the entire atmosphere for miles in every direction. These classes are environed with danger which cannot be overestimated. They required a sure protective medicine, like MISHLER'S HERB BITTERS, which is the only real safeguard for an untoned stomach, or delicate nervous system; the only fortifying agent against malarious disorders, or that will effect a permanent and efficacious cure where disease has already fastened itself upon its victim. It is an infallible cure, and is highly valued in all Fever and Ague districts. Sold everywhere.

WHAT makes your hair so beautiful? Mrs. S. A. Allen's Improved (*new style*) Hair Restorer or Dressing, (*in one bottle.*) Price One Dollar. Every Druggist sells it. [nov.12-

ADVERTISING.—There is no doubt that the great lever in the extension of a business, in these go-ahead times, is advertising; but the immense popularity of that celebrated remedy for Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Nervous Debility, &c., Hoofland's German Bitters, is not so much owing to the fact that it has been extensively advertised, as it is to the great merit of the article.

A worthless medicine may, through publicity, acquire a short lived notoriety, but it requires the basis of true merit, in order to sustain itself for any considerable length of time. Hoofland's German Bitters has been known to the American public for more than twenty years; each day adding some new proof of its virtues and great curative properties. This Bitters is entirely free from all Alcoholic admixture.

HOOFLAND'S GERMAN TONIC is a combination of all the ingredients of the Bitters, with pure Santa Cruz Rum, orange, anise, &c., making a preparation of rare medical value. The Tonic is used for the same diseases as the Bitters; in cases where some Alcoholic Stimulus is necessary. Principal Office, 631 Arch St., Philad'a, Pa. Sold by Druggists and others, everywhere. [oc.29-3t.

ADVICE THAT SHOULD BE HEEDED.—We desire to call the attention of the afflicted to the merits of Roback's Blood Pills, a purely vegetable cathartic, free from mercury and all mineral poisons, and undoubtedly the best remedy extant for the radical cure of nervous and sick headache, bilious disorders, and all affections of the Liver and Blood. They are, as their name indicates, a Blood Pill.—They search the blood for disease and strike at the very root, thereby effecting not temporary but permanent cures. As a purgative, they are all that can be desired, being mild and safe in their operation and unquestionably one of our most satisfactory Cathartic Pills, and should be kept in every household, and, when taken in conjunction with Roback's Blood Purifier, are unequalled for curing Scrofula, Skin Disease, Old Sores, Salt Rheum, Dyspepsia, Erysipelas, Tumors, Eruptions, and all diseases arising from a disorganized state of the system. Try these medicines and you will never regret it.—Ask those who have used them and they will tell you they are the best of medicines. no 12.

To Consumptives.

The advertiser, having been restored to health in a few weeks by a very simple remedy, after having suffered several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease, Consumption, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it he will send a copy of the Prescription used (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a SURE CURE for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, &c. The only object of the advertiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and send information which he conceives to be invaluable; and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing. Parties wishing the Prescription will please address

REV. EDWARD A. WILSON,
165 South Second St., Williamsburg, Kings County New York. [Nov.12,'68-1y.

DR. TAYLOR'S
OLIVE BRANCH
BITTERS.

A mild and agreeable TONIC STIMULANT, STOMACHIC and CARMINATIVE

BITTERS,

Extracted entirely from HERBS and ROOTS.

Highly beneficial in

Dyspepsia,
General Debility,
AND LOSS OF APPETITE;

and an excellent CORRECTIVE for persons suffering from Disorders of the Bowels, Flatulence, &c., &c.

SOLD EVERYWHERE.

DEPOT, NO. 415 MARKET STREET
PHILADELPHIA.

J. K. TAYLOR & CO.

WANAMAKER AND BROWN
Clothing
6th & Market Sts
OAK HALL
PHILADELPHIA.

☞Samples sent by mail when written for.

FOR SALE.—The undersigned offers for sale the FARM on which they now reside, situate in Allegheny township, Cambria county, within two miles of Loretto, (formerly owned by James McAteer,) containing ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVEN ACRES, more or less, 160 Acres of which are cleared—the balance well timbered. There is erected on the premises a good DWELLING HOUSE and splendid BARN, together with other necessary outbuildings, such as Blacksmith Shop, Corn Crib, Sheep House, &c.; also, an excellent ORCHARD of choice fruit. Title perfect. For terms apply on the premises to

B. & C SHIELDS.
Loretto P. O., Aug. 20, 1868.-tf.

A. KOPELIN, - - - - - T. W. DICK,
Johnstown. Ebensburg.

KOPELIN & DICK, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW, Ebensburg, Pa. Office with Wm. Kittell, Esq., Colonade Row. [oct.22.-tf.

GOOD, BETTER, BEST.—The best and cheapest Tobacco and Cigars in town at [illegible]. Go and see.

AS AN APERIENT,

There is no medicine so much in favor with those who are acquainted with their action as Roback's Blood Pills; they are safe, pleasant and mild in their operation, and are purely vegetable; can be taken by children as well as by adults; try them.

SLEEPLESS NIGHTS.

As a remedy to soothe all NERVOUS excitement, and in its truest sense a NERVINE, there is, perhaps, no medicine extant which is received with so much favor as Roback's Stomach Bitters. A wine glass full on going to bed is all that is required to produce sound and healthful sleep.

ERYSIPELAS,

Or, St. Anthony's Fire, can be most effectually eradicated by the use of Roback's Blood Purifier in conjunction with Roback's Blood Pills.

OPTHALMIA,

Or, Inflammation of the Eyes, not unfrequently arises from a disordered state of the stomach; a few doses of Roback's Blood Pills will, in most cases, effect a cure by removing the cause.

KEEP YOUR BLOOD PURE.

There are no remedies, now before the public, so well calculated to purify the blood and reconstruct (so to speak) the whole system as Roback's Blood Purifier, Blood Pills and Stomach Bitters.

BAD TASTE

In the mouth in the morning is one of the symptoms of a bilious condition or disordered state of the liver, and should not, for a single day, be neglected, as it is but the premonitory symptom of a train of evils and the very seeds of disease. Procure at once Roback's Blood Pills, administer them according to the directions accompanying each box, and the difficulty and danger of disease will at once be removed.

NOT A BEVERAGE.

Unlike most of the bitters of the present day, Dr. Roback's are not intended as a pleasant stimulating whisky beverage, but are perfectly medicinal, containing only sufficient pure bourbon whisky to hold in solution the medicinal extractive matter from which they are composed.

WHO SELLS THEM:

The Agents for the sale of Roback's Blood Pills, Stomach Bitters and Blood Purifier are Messrs LEMMON & MURRAY, Sole Agents, Ebensburg, Pa.

The Last Crowning Success.

Mrs. S. A. ALLEN'S
IMPROVED
HAIR RESTORER
FAVORITE
HAIR DRESSING
New Style in one Bottle

will quickly restore Gray Hair to its natural color and beauty, and produce luxuriant growth. It is perfectly harmless, and is preferred over every other preparation by those who have a fine head of hair, as well as those who wish to restore it. The beautiful gloss and perfume imparted to the Hair make it desirable for old and young.

For Sale by all Druggists.
DEPOT, 198 GREENWICH ST., N. Y.

PRICE ONE DOLLAR

ROHRER'S WILD CHERRY
TONIC BITTERS
ARE THE
BEST IN USE!

USE ROHRER'S TONIC BITTERS,
The very best in the Market.

R. E. SELLERS & CO.,
No. 45 *Wood St., opposite St. Charles Hotel.*
Also, Entrance Nos. 102 & 104 Third St.,
PITTSBURGH, PA.,

☞Wholesale Agents for the West.

For sale by A. A. BARKER for Ebensburg and vicinity [je 11,'68.-1y.

HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS,
AND
HOOFLAND'S GERMAN TONIC,

Prepared by Dr. C. M. Jackson, Philadelphia. Their introduction into this country from Germany occurred in

1825.

THEY CURED YOUR

FATHERS AND MOTHERS,

And will cure you and your children. They are entirely different from the many preparations now in the country called Bitters or Tonics. They are no tavern preparation, or anything like one; but good, honest, reliable medicines. They are

The greatest known remedies for

Liver Complaint.
DYSPEPSIA,
Nervous Debility,
JAUNDICE,
Diseases of the Kidneys,
ERUPTIONS OF THE SKIN,
and all Diseases arising from a Disordered Liver, Stomach, or

IMPURITY OF THE BLOOD.

Constipation, Flatulence, Inward Piles, Fulness of Blood to the Head, Acidity of the Stomach, Nausea, Heartburn, Disgust for Food, Fulness or Weight in the Stomach, Sour Eructations, Sinking or Fluttering at the Pit of the Stomach, Swimming of the Head, Hurried or Difficult Breathing, Fluttering at the Heart, Choking or Suffocating Sensations when in a Lying Posture, Dimness of Vision, Dots or Webs before the Sight, Dull Pain in the Head, Deficiency of Perspiration, Yellowness of the Skin and Eyes, Pain in the Side, Back, Chest, Limbs, etc., Sudden Flushes of Heat, Burning in the Flesh, Constant Imaginings of Evil, and Great Depression of Spirits.

All these indicate disease of the Liver or Digestive Organs, combined with impure blood.

Hoofland's German Bitters

is entirely vegetable, and contains no liquor. It is a compound of Fluid Extracts. The Roots, Herbs, and Barks from which these extracts are made are gathered in Germany. All the medicinal virtues are extracted from them by a scientific chemist. These extracts are then forwarded to this country to be used expressly for the manufacture of these Bitters. There is no alcoholic substance of any kind used in compounding the Bitters, hence it is the only Bitters that can be used in cases where alcoholic stimulants are not advisable.

Hoofland's German Tonic

is a combination of all the ingredients of the Bitters, with PURE Santa Cruz Rum, Oranges, etc. It is used for the same diseases as the Bitters, in cases where some pure alcoholic stimulus is required. You will bear in mind that these remedies are entirely different from any others advertised for the cure of the diseases named, these being scientific preparations of medicinal extracts, while the others are mere decoctions of rum in some form. The TONIC is decidedly one of the most pleasant and agreeable remedies ever offered to the public. Its taste is exquisite. It is a pleasure to take it, while its life-giving, exhilarating, and medicinal qualities have caused it to be known as the greatest of all tonics.

DEBILITY.

These Remedies are the best

Blood Purifiers

ever known, and will cure all diseases resulting from bad blood. Keep your blood pure; keep your Liver in order; keep your digestive organs in a sound, healthy condition, by the use of these remedies, and no disease will ever assail you. The best men in the country recommend them. If years of honest reputation go for anything you must try these preparations.

FROM HON. GEO. W. WOODWARD,

Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA, March 16, 1867.

I find "Hoofland's German Bitters" to be an unintoxicating beverage, and to a good tonic, useful in disorders of the digestive organs, and of great benefit in cases of debility and want of nervous action, in the system.

Yours truly,
GEO. W. WOODWARD.

FROM HON. JAMES THOMPSON,

Judge of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA, April 28, 1866.

I consider "Hoofland's German Bitters" a valuable medicine in case of attacks of Indigestion and Dyspepsia. I can certify this from my experience of it. Yours, with respect,
JAMES THOMPSON.

FROM REV. JOSEPH H. KENNARD, D. D.,

Pastor of the Tenth Baptist Church, Philadelphia.

DR. JACKSON—DEAR SIR:—*I have been frequently requested to connect my name with recommendations of different kinds of medicines, but regarding the practice as out of my appropriate sphere, I have in all cases declined; but with a clear proof in various instances, and particularly in my own family, of the usefulness of Dr. Hoofland's German Bitters, I depart for once from my usual course, to express my full conviction that for general debility of the system and especially for Liver Complaint, it is a safe and valuable preparation. In some cases it may fail; but usually, I doubt not, it will be very beneficial to those who suffer from the above causes.*

Yours, very respectfully,
J. H. KENNARD,
Eighth, below Coates street.

CAUTION.

Hoofland's German Remedies are counterfeited. The genuine have the signature of C. M. Jackson on the front of the outside wrapper of each bottle, and the name of the article blown in each bottle. All others are counterfeit.

Price of the Bitters, $1 00 per bottle;
Or, a half dozen for $5 00.
Price of the Tonic, $1 50 per bottle;
Or, a half dozen for $7 50.

The tonic is put up in quart bottles.

Recollect that it is Dr. Hoofland's German Remedies that are so universally used and so highly recommended; and do not allow the Druggists to induce you to take anything else that he may say is just as good, because he makes a larger profit on it. These Remedies will be sent by express to any locality upon application to the

PRINCIPAL OFFICE,
AT THE GERMAN MEDICINE STORE,
No. 631 ARCH STREET, Philadelphia.

CHAS. M. EVANS,
Proprietor,

Formerly C. M. JACKSON & CO.

These Remedies are for sale by Druggists, Storekeepers, and Medicine Dealers everywhere.

Do not forget to examine well the article you buy, in order to get the genuine.

☞For Sale by R. J. LLOYD, Druggist, Ebensburg, Pa. [oct.22.-1y.

THE FREEMAN.

THURSDAY, : : : NOV. 12, 1868.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

EBENSBURG AND CRESSON RAILROAD.—On and after Monday, May 11, 1868, trains on this road will run as follows:

LEAVE EBENSBURG—

At 7.35 A. M., connecting with Accomodation East and Phila. Express West.

At 7.15 P. M., connecting with Phila. Ex. East and Mail West.

LEAVE CRESSON—

At 9.00 A. M., or on departure of Phila. Express West.

At 8.55 P. M., or on departure of Phila. Express East.

A GOOD INSTITUTION.—The State Normal School is an excellent school. For information address J. A. Cooper, Edinboro, Erie Co., Pa.

Grand Radical Jubilee.

Immense Demonstration!—The Tanners in Procession!—All the Barkers, "Curs," &c., &c., in Line!—Able-Bodied Speeches: Barker barks. White white-washes, Reade reads, Singleton sings, Piper don't pipe, and Dick plays the dickens generally—Dissolving Scenes, Incidents, &c., &c., &c.

Saturday night was to be the night of all nights, (not excepting the Knights of the Golden Circle,) and we determined, as is our wont, to outstrip all our cotemporaries in giving a full, faithful, and minute history of all its transactions. Accordingly we directed MacShane to be upon the ground "early and often," with such assistants as the extent of the demonstration and the importance of its proceedings required. The result is that we are enabled to give not only an earlier, but a more detailed, history of the occasion than can be found elsewhere.

Heaven seemed propitious, for the afternoon and evening were delightful. Preparations had been going on quietly but industriously throughout the day. Everything had been admirably systematized, and the signal for assembling was the Court House bell.

At about 7 o'clock the Court House bell was rang most lustily, and torches began to appear in the Diamond and lighted candles in the windows. But our reporter must speak for himself:

We found the town partially illuminated by many of the Radicals who wished to make *light* of the matter. Barker had said, "Let there be light—and (of course) there was light." We passed along the whole length of our main street, to enjoy and report what he saw.

Many of the private residences in the Eastern Ward were brilliantly illuminated. The most tasteful of these seemed to be the private residence of our estimable friend, Mr. Blain, the barber, though the dwellings immediately west of his were also handsomely lighted. The residence of Samuel Singleton, Esq., was hieroglyphically illuminated, with strange figures in light, reminding us of the Ku Klux devices, though we are credibly informed Mr. S is not a member of that blood stained order. The Eastern one-third of the residence of John Williams, Esq., was also lighted handsomely, while the remaining two-thirds, from some unaccountable reason, remained in outer darkness.

The residences of Geo. M. Reade, Esq., and Col Piper were dimly illumined—about half—indicating, as we supposed, that they were about *half pleased* with the result, or that they did not think "the game worth the candle." Herr Foster, our German Bonifface, had also lighted but sparingly, *owing*, perhaps, to the price of the "*candles*," which seems the more strange as he is said to have been a member in good standing of the German *Illuminati*.

The domicil of our tran-*quill* friend, Hutchinson, of the *Alleghanian*, was resplendently lighted. Every pane of glass sported a candle, which made the glare dazzling and *painful*. We think this entitles him to the most grateful consideration, (including the Post Office, hereafter). Indeed, as his windows sported 72 lights, and those of Maj. Thompson only about 56, we think Todd has the case on the merits.

Messrs. George J. Rodgers, E. J. Mills, George Huntley, and other reputable Republicans, did not illuminate at all.

The procession of Tanners, &c., moved on and halted opposite Valentine Barker's store. The display of fire-works here, pyrotechnically speaking, was very fine. But somehow a premature explosion of the "balance of the pack" of combustible matter took place, and the gallant Tanners, having no arms but lamps, stampeded as if the devil or Stonewall Jackson had been at their heels.

The danger being over, the Tanners reformed, and marched to a bonfire which had been prepared north of town by volunteers, and placed on neutral ground between the residence of Gen. M'Donald and the late residence of Col. Piper. This consisted of a lot of empty barrels, kegs, etc., which the Radicals had *emptied during the summer*. We had seen Col. Piper during the day astride of one of these vessels, on the way to the place of execution, with all the vivacity of one about to mount the pile.

Soon after the procession returned to the centre of town, and were called to order opposite Foster's, by Hon. A. A. Barker, who said in substance, (we take his remarks from another reporter):

Fellow-Citizens—We have fit the great battle aginst the *rebils*, and have got the victory. I've bin and gone to Pittsburgh and rid with your next President, General Grant, from Pittsburgh to Altoona. He didn't say much, but he's goin' to give us, and the rest of the colored folks North and South, our liberties. We all feel good—we've a right to feel good—but we don't feel ugly aginst our enemies. But, as I said before, I don't want to make a speech, but I'll call on Harry White, our Senator, that's been and gone to the *rebils*, and fit them, and was hunted by dogs, and captivated, and imprisonated, and can tell you all about what we fit for, and what we won.

General White appeared on the store box, and there was much *cheer*fulness. *He* seemed to think the Senate was the nicest thing after all, and made a speech for himself in his most blandest and agreeable style. The question before the house, or rather before the out of doors, with him seemed mainly to be, which he or his Radical opponent, Col. Piper, was the *Welshuest*—the General holding that Piper being a Welshman only by affinity, and himself by consanguinity, he was the Welshier of the two.

The "noise and confusion" prevented us from hearing the General's remarks fully, and we can only give their substance:

He thanked the assembly and the party for nominating and electing him Senator. He had heard that there was trouble among the Welsh, but was klad there wasn't. It would have been all wrong. There was a slight streak of Welsh in him. He could assure them that one of his very most distant relatives was descended from a person who, he was credibly informed, had a little Welsh blood in one of his veins. And as that Welsh blood had not been shed in the rebellion, he felt he had a little somewhere still.

This reminded us of the man who in making a speech to an Irish meeting, asserted that though he was not an Irishman himself, he had a brother who was exceedingly fond of *potatoes*.

The General continued at some length, and we heard him and Frederick the Great discussing a windmill question, but did not stay for the verdict.

The General, however, acquitted himself well. His style was quite natural, and towards the last we thought it, in the classic language of Covode, *Guber*-natural.

We understand that Col. Piper addressed a side show at the bonfire, and detailed his last feat of equestrianism, in which he undertook to ride the rough trotter "Democrat" and the smooth pacer "Radical" *in the can vass*, but owing to "Democrat's" boggling and "Radical" sliding from under him, he came to the ground between them, and was left *horse du combat*. He was not, however, allowed full communion, but continues to occupy a seat at the mourner's bench.

Gen. White having retired, Mr. Barker announced that they would proceed to the Town Hall, in procession, with music. But where, oh where, was the band? "Not a drum was heard, nor a funeral note," as the crowd, which had become dreadfully demoralized during the speaking, surged to and fro. Orlando Furioso raged around like a Brook—(overflowing its)—bank, and offered "my kingdom for a" drum! but none was given them, and they had to take up their march in solemn silence.

However, Mr. Barker's allusion to General White having been hunted by rebil *dogs* left such an impression on the Tanners that they incontinently set up such a *howl*, as they passed the FREEMAN office, that you would have supposed them all to be members of the *Barker* family.

Arrived at the Hall, Messrs. Barker and White rehearsed their pieces, Geo. M. Reade, Esq., recited his authorities, Samuel Singleton, Esq., sang or chaunted a piece, Sir Isaac Newton spoke, not of gravitation, but with gravity, and Mr. Dick came in as a forlorn hope, and poured a broadside into the defunct carcass of the Democracy. As if this were not enough, a fellow from Mr. Evans's U. T. K. was brought, who completed Democratic demolition. The meeting then adjourned with cheers, tigers, and other ornaments.

Much confusion prevailed during the meeting on the Square. All parties were in attendance. Almost every Radical man, woman and child was in attendance. It was a singular fact that while all the *livers* were out of the houses the *lights* were in. Even old women of both sexes were present. While there was a large crowd of both sexes, there were many whose habiliments were such as to leave their sex a matter of doubt. Fellows, or fellow*esses*, in every possible shape, and garb, and appearance, graced (or *dis*graced, as the case may be,) the meeting.—A leading man among them wore a *crown* with the letters "P—E—A—C—E" written underneath. Peace under a crown—a proper Radical device.

The Tanners never appeared more in character. They had their caps, capes, torches, etc., and their *hides* soaking in the liquor. In truth, a few persons were in the same situation that Wendell Phillips described as peculiar to their candidate—they "could not stand up before a bottle." Indeed, one of the banners itself was suggestive of confusion and disturbance. It bore full size portraits of Grant and Colfax. When a Radical votary looked on the face of the impurturbable Grant he was reminded to light his cigar and smoke in the face of the speaker. When he contemplated Colfax, with his everlasting "smile," it put him in the notion of taking a "smile" too; and the crowd smoked and smiled until the orators and the ladies were pretty well smoked, and the *smilers* were, some of them, too much involved to make straight tracks.

The whole show wound up by some of the TANNERS, by way of keeping their hands in for another rebellion, going outside of town and taking a fight among themselves, which ended, we are pleased to say, "without detriment to the (seat of) honor of either party."

Otherwise, the whole affair passed off pleasantly, and all parties seemed to enjoy the occasion to the utmost. And as such scenes and occasions enhance the morals of our young men and young women, we would suggest to that party which is the party of "grand moral ideas," whether once in four years is often enough to have these moralizing exhibitions.

DEAD BODY FOUND.—*Foul Play Suspected.*—About six o'clock on Sunday morning last the dead body of an Englishman, who gave his name while living as John O'Donnell or McDonald, was found on what used to be known as the tow-path of the old canal, just below the Pa. R. R. passenger platform at Johnstown, with a terrible gash in his head, from which a great amount of blood had flowed and congealed in close proximity to the body. It seems that the deceased, who has been in the country only about eight months, and whose name was believed to have been assumed, had been in the employ of the Johnstown Water Company, and after receiving his money on Saturday himself and a companion got on a spree together, and it being suspected that the latter killed O'Donnell while in this condition, he was promptly arrested on Sunday and taken to the lock-up. We did not learn his name, but understand he claims to have been so much intoxicated that he has no recollection of either his own or his companion's doings on the fatal night in question. The prisoner's cap is said to have been found near the dead man, and was saturated with his blood. The body of the deceased was still warm when found, and money was also found in his pockets. We believe he had no family.

P. S. Since the above was in type we have been told that the Coroner's jury gave it as their opinion that the deceased had fallen from the passenger platform, a distance of some twenty feet, and thereby sustained the injuries which resulted in his death. The suspected party was consequently discharged from custody, being honorably acquitted of all blame in the matter.

TERRIBLE LOCOMOTIVE EXPLOSION.—*Two Men Instantly Killed.*—The engine attached to what is known as the Hollidaysburg coal train, while being employed in shifting cars at Duncansville, Blair county, on Monday last, suddenly exploded its boiler, resulting in the instant killing of the engineer, Robert Patterson, and the fireman, Philip Davis. Mr. Patterson, it is said, was blown over the Methodist church in that village, a distance of fully seven hundred yards, and came down an almost shapeless mass. Mr. Davis was reared in this county, and his aged father, we believe, still resides at Belsano. Both of the unfortunate victims were married men, and leave large families. They were extensively known, and bore excellent characters. The locomotive, of course, was almost completely demolished, but we did not learn of any other damage to property.

A LITTLE SON of Mr. Jacob Snyder, of Altoona, fell into a privy vault at the Logan House, on Saturday evening last, and smothered to death. Horrible fate!

BRIEF MENTION.—The "Mound-Builders of Tennessee," published on our first page, should have been credited to the Nashville *Press* of October 22d.——A cavalcade consisting of a wagon laden with butter and other provisions, and a number of horses and mules, departed our town on Tuesday morning last, bound for Messrs. Collins' new contracts on the Connellsville Railroad. It reminded us very forcibly that business was intended.——The last we saw of our young friend, James A. Kittell, was the top of his head, the balance of his body having disappeared over the brow of the hill, on his way to the Messrs. Collins' new work at Sand Patch. There was a horse under him and two mules holding back in the rear. May he get through safely and prosper abundantly——Our big hearted friend John Hannan, of Johnstown, illuminated our sanctum for a brief period on Monday. We regretted to find that he was afflicted with the "Grecian Bend," produced by rheumatism or some other disarrangement in the back, but trust he will soon be delivered from the affliction, and that the next time he comes back he will have a better back than he has had for several weeksback.——One of the walls of the new Methodist church at Altoona was blown down, on Wednesday evening last, during a wind storm, and falling upon the new chapel adjoining, demolished the greater part of it, besides otherwise damaging the building considerably. No person injured ——The ladies of St. John's (Catholic) church, Altoona, inaugurated their Fair, on Friday night last, under most auspicious circumstances. The display of valuable and beautiful articles is said to be beyond all precedent, and we hope the enterprise will prove an unparalleled success.——President elect Grant passed over the Pa Railroad on Saturday, en route for Washington. He spoke to our townsman, Mr. Barker, who met him on the train, but we did not hear that he opened his lips to anybody else, or any other thing, except that inevitable cigar which is ever present with him.——Pressley Kilgore, a resident of Mount Pleasant, Westmoreland county, and a passenger brakeman on the Pa., Railroad, was so seriously injured, near Derry Station, on Wednesday evening last, by falling under the train while stepping from the platform of one car to that of another, that he died on the following morning. Both legs and one arm were terribly crushed.——Mr. Jeremiah McGonigle offers for sale one of the best and largest farms in Cambria county. See advertisement.——The attention of parents and others interested in the education of children, is invited to the card of the Hollidaysburg Seminary, in to day's *Freeman*. It is one of the best educational institutions in the State.——Philip Pheasant, of Cassville, Huntingdon county, was killed at Mill Creek, on the 3d inst., by the upsetting of a wagon and the falling upon him of a stove which it contained.——A little son of N. R. Griffiths, of Yoder township, fell down stairs, a couple of weeks since, with a butcher knife in his hand, and the knife penetrated his cheek and fleshy part of his head to the depth of five inches. He is recovering.——The corner-stone of a new German Catholic church in Conemaugh borough, will be laid with appropriate ceremonies on Sunday afternoon next. The rite of confirmation will be administered on the forenoon of the same day at the English Catholic church, Johnstown.——The Turnverein of Johnstown celebrated the anniversary of Schiller's birthday by a grand ball at Fronheiser's Hall on Tuesday night.——An eighteen months' old child of Jacob Fawner, fell into a mill race at Williamsburg, Blair county, on the 26th ult., and was drowned.——"Branigan is informed that we never publish communications without first knowing the author's real name.——The Borough weigh-scales, having been placed in position, are now ready for duty, and henceforth any person selling coal or hay within our Borough limits without first having it weighed will be subject to a fine of not less than five nor more than twenty five dollars.

THE CONTINENTALS.—The simple announcement of the fact that the celebrated troupe of Continental Vocalists, whose fame is as wide-spread as it is creditable and well deserved, will give one of their inimitable concerts at the Court House in this place, on Saturday evening next, should in itself be sufficient to attract an overflowing audience on that occasion. Our citizens remember with pleasure the delightful entertainment given here by Mr. Ed. M. Kerr and his amiable and accomplished lady, a few months since, and we are sure they will greet him and her, and the other members of this renowned troupe, with a welcome worthy of themselves and worthy of so excellent a band of vocalists. We need say no more.

NEW RESTAURANT.—Mr. A. H. Faller has recently opened a restaurant in the room on High street formerly occupied by Mr. R. H. Tudor, adjoining Foster's hotel, and in addition to candies, nuts, and confections generally, designs keeping oysters, pig's feet, tripe, beef's tongue, bologna sausage, and all other delicacies of the season, which he will serve in palatable style and at moderate prices to all hungry mortals who visit his establishment. No oysters larger or more delicious have ever been brought to this place than Mr. F. is now serving, and he has reduced the price from fifty to forty cents per plate. He offers the highest cash price for pig's feet, and will buy in large or small quantities.

A SAD ACCIDENT.—A young man named John R. Edwards, who resides in Cambria township, met with a very serious accident in this place, at about three o'clock this (Wednesday) morning, in consequence of his horse falling upon him, while on his way home from a wedding party at Crawford's hotel. His nose is said to be completely mashed, one side of his face is terribly lacerated, and other injuries about his person are of a most painful character. No fears, we believe, are entertained as to his injuries proving fatal, but he will doubtless be disfigured for life.

A FINE STOCK.—Ebensburg can now boast what it never possessed before—a Merchant Tailoring establishment furnished with a superb and excellent stock of cloths, cassimeres, vestings, etc., just ready to be cut to order and manufactured in the latest and most perfect style of the art. Mr. David J. Evans is proprietor of the establishment, and it is located in Reade's new building on Centre street, near Collonade Row. Our gentlemen friends can now have the best of garments made perfectly and cheaply.

THAT BANNER!—We learn that the banner, worth $50, for the District giving the largest per centage of additional votes in November over October, has been assigned to old Allegheny township. It only behooves the Democratic ladies of Ebensburg to do themselves and their cause credit by presenting a banner worthy of themselves and their glorious cause, and worthy the acceptance of the gallant Democracy of Allegheny.

GEN. HARRY WHITE.—Our Senator reelect passed a portion of last week with his friends in Ebensburg. The gentlemen all admired his suavity, and many of the ladies wished "that heaven had made them such a man."

A BOLD IMPOSTER AND A COOL SWINDLE.—Our friend Elisha Shoemaker, of Oneida township, was recently "done" out of a small amount of money, under the following circumstances; A stranger, during the early part of the summer, called upon him in the field where he was plowing, and represented himself as an agent for the National Agricultural Department, saying that they were about getting ready for publication, an extensive work on Agricultural statistics, &c., for which he was at present collecting material. He gave his name as Geo. W. Bowman, said he was stopping at the Franklin House, in this place, and proffered Mr. Shoemaker a copy of the work *gratis*, provided he would furnish him with certain statistics, and also promised him an annual copy of the forthcoming report, if he would agree to furnish the Department with an occasional communication. In confirmation of the truth of this assertion, he produced a blank book of statistics, with a number of printed questions relative to the condition and prospects of the different crops in the neighborhood, the answers to which he wrote down as dictated to him by Mr. Shoemaker, remarking in relation to a blank space at the bottom of the page, that it was for miscellaneous crops, which he would fill up from other sources, and then asked Mr. S. to sign his name to the report, which he did, and thought no more about it till a few days ago, when he received a notice from the First National Bank of Huntingdon, that his note for *ninety-five dollars* was due, and upon investigation discovered to his cost that the pretended agent had written a note for the aforesaid amount, above his signature in the blank space, disposed of the paper to a third party, and immediately left for parts unknown, leaving Mr. S. the satisfaction of paying the amount of the note, for the privilege of enjoying the no wondrous information that strangers are not all angels in disguise."

We give the public the benefit of the transaction as the next best thing to be done, in order to prevent others from being victimized in a similar manner, and under the impression that there may be other farmers in the county who may find out they have similar obligations in bank maturing at a time when they are not expecting them.

The public press may confer a benefit on the community by passing this notice round. —*Huntingdon Journal.*

CAMBRIA COUNTY OFFICIAL.—We give below the official returns of the election in this county, on Tuesday of last week, as compared with the vote cast for Auditor General in October.

DISTRICTS.	AUD GEN. OCT.		PRESID'T. NOV.	
	Boyle, Dem	Hartranft, R	Seymour, D	Grant, Rep
Allegheny Township	197	26	214	30
Blacklick "	53	79	51	81
Cambria "	49	169	48	165
Cambria Borough	217	27	223	35
Carroll Township	272	48	286	46
Carrolltown Borough	75	4	73	4
Chest Township	135	28	138	35
Chest Springs Borough	37	20	39	35
Clearfield Township	254	26	272	30
Conemaugh Township	61	97	65	98
" Bor., 1st W'd.	160	58	148	56
" " 2d "	101	53	106	56
Croyle Township	102	55	99	60
East Conemaugh Bor	47	30	47	31
Ebensburg Bor., E. Ward	19	94	21	92
" " W. "	73	59	74	61
Franklin Borough	28	59	27	63
Gallitz'n "	123	52	12	53
Jackson Township	70	94	55	102
Johnstown Bor., 1st W'd	59	190	55	201
" " 2d "	52	121	5	122
" " 3d "	82	68	79	71
" " 4th "	68	98	61	105
" " 5th "	65	146	61	149
" " 6th "	25	49	22	55
Loretto Borough	51	10	48	11
Millville "	115	216	117	216
Prospect "	48	22	49	21
Richland Township	150	173	141	179
Summerhill "	111	49	106	45
Summitville Borough	27	6	29	6
Susquehanna Township	113	105	109	106
Taylor Township	63	145	64	142
Washington Township	223	60	217	63
White Township	68	150	68	156
Wilmore Borough	27	47	27	51
Yoder Township	52	104	44	104
Total	3597	2849	3558	2935
Majorities	738		623	

SINGULAR FREAK OF A GOBBLER.—*A Fou(w)l Story.*—A turkey gobbler, belonging to Mr J. K. Wilson, Huntingdon county, some time during the last summer, took it into his head to share the duties and responsibilities of incubation mutually with his mate, and for this purpose insisted on occupying a part of the eggs, until forcibly ejected and debarred from the nest, when he took up a position outside, where some hen eggs were given him, which he immediately took possession of and set on in the most approved style, and about a week in advance of the forthcoming brood of turkeys, brought forth, *ab ovo*, a fine lot of young chickens, which were duly cared for by him till the turkey eggs were hatched, when the chickens were taken from him and adopted into the family of a benevolent hen, and the brood of young turkeys were divided between him and his mate, he taking charge of his portion with the utmost apparent delight, and rearing with all the solicitude of the most matronly hen, until they were full grown and able to dispense with his parental oversight and protection. The truth of this singular story is vouched for by persons of the highest respectability. Who can beat it?—*Journal.*

ON A HIGH.—Old Boreas is having a high old time of it as we go to press, and those who have not yet prepared themselves against the inclement season so near at hand, should be reminded by his blowing that now is the time to go to Huntley's extensive establishment and buy a heating or cooking stove, of which he has a very large assortment of the most approved patterns, and which he will sell fully as cheap as they can be bought singly from the men who made them. Mr. Huntley has thousands of other articles in his store, which he can and will sell at as low prices as any dealer in his line of traffic.

FINANCIAL TROUBLES.—There has been some quaking in the Eastern cities in regard to a financial crash for the last few days, but at present all fears seem to be allayed. No one need comprehend any danger of this kind in this vicinity who buys his dry goods, groceries, and all other merchandise at the celebrated cheap cash store of J. Patton Thompson, next door to the Bank, as he can save money enough to keep afloat, no matter whose financial bark goes under.

"VERY SELDOM."—The days are getting exceedingly short, and those who find the long evenings wearisome, should not forget that the most entertaining and beneficial mode of putting in time is in the perusal of such books and periodicals as may be found at all times at the great watch, clock, jewelry, sewing machine, notion and periodical depot of C. T. Roberts, who sells many of the best periodicals and standard works issued from the press.

Go when the morning shineth,
Go when the sun is bright;
Go in all kinds of weather,
And go with all your might—
And a little of your money—to Spence's New Gallery, Ebensburg, and have a few pictures taken. You can get any style you wish, either Photographs, Ambrotypes, Ferreotypes, or large Pictures for Frames. A good assortment of Frames and Albums for sale.—So come one and all, both great and small, and be convinced of the truth—have a picture taken, and go your way rejoicing.

WHAT THEY SAID.—We overheard a couple of lady friends, who had just returned from a shopping expedition to Johnstown, declare most positively that they had never examined so extensive and beautiful an assortment of dry goods, dress goods, etc., as they saw at the great emporium of Leopold Mayer, Parke's Hall, Main street, and his prices were amazingly low for all kinds of goods. They declared they were henceforth make their purchases at no other establishment and would advise their friends to do the same.

NOT to the man of dollars,
Not to the man of deeds,
Not to the man of cunning,
Not to the man of creeds;
But to he who buys his clothing
At the great "Star Clothing Hall,"
Should the mede of praise be given,
For he is worthy of it all.

A superb stock of gent's and youth's garments for winter wear constantly kept and always sold at lowest prices by James J. Murphy, Clinton street, Johnstown.

IF a body meet a body coming down the street,
If a body ask a body where groceries fresh and sweet,
Can be bought of all descriptions, at prices very low,
Shouldn't a body tell a body to Oatman's he should go—
For there in great profusion all things good to eat
May be had at cheapest prices—surely hard to beat.

THE AGONY OVER.—The great political contest is ended, Grant has won the race, and many sensible people hereaways have settled down to the conviction that the best thing they can do is too go to R. R. Davis' cheapest of all cheap stores, and select their fall and winter goods while his stock is so large and his prices so low. And to all others we say, go thou and do likewise.

A FIXED FACT.—If there is any one thing more certain than another it is that V. S. Barker's stock of fall and winter goods comprises the most varied, elegant and cheapest assortment ever introduced into this market, and no person can fail to be pleased with both goods and prices who examine the one and learns the other. Go, buy, and be convinced.

IN the course of a life you are likely to mix
Among folks of all possible kinds,
And in talking it's highly improper to fix
Upon any chance topic one finds:
But if any one asks where go'ds can be found
Of every shade, fabric and hue,
At prices the lowest, just send him around,
To Shoemakers', where he will get his full due.

THE RIGHT ROAD.—The true road to comfort, elegance, economy, and all that sort of thing, is by way of M. Cohen & Bro.'s New York Clothing Hall, Parke's iron front building, Main street, Johnstown, and all gentlemen, young and old, who desire to wear the best apparel at the lowest prices will not fail to walk therein.

TOUCHING.—The autumn winds are sighing, the summer leaves are dying, the balmy days are flying, and soon we should be buying where bargains may be had for trying, where garments neat and of material and manufacture the very best, can be bought at extraordinary low prices and satisfaction guaranteed, and that place is none other than the popular Oak Clothing Hall of E. Leopold & Bro., Main street, Johnstown. Go there for your winter outfits. 2t.

JUDGMENT AFFIRMED.—In the Supreme Court at Pittsburg, judgment has been affirmed in the case of C & D. Moore vs. Clearfield township School Directors.

MARRIED.

FARNWALT—SHORTENCARIHER.—At the pastoral residence in this place, on Tuesday morning last, by Rev. R. C Christy, Mr. John Farnwalt, of Indiana county, and Miss Minnie Shortencariher, of Ebensburg.

Our generous friend, "mine host" of the Crawford House, gave the happy couple and their friends, of which *we* were *one*, a free "blow out." There was a season of enjoyment at the hospitable board. The anxiety for the prophetic ring, which had been imbedded in delicious wedding cake was intense, but *we* obtained the prize. And though, for *family* reasons, we are not likely to be the "next man married," we hope that the happiness of the wedded pair may, like our ring, have no end.

NOTICE.—Letters of Administration on the estate of Joseph Bradley, late of Millville borough, dec'd, having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of Cambria county, notice is hereby given to those having claims against said estate to present them duly authenticated for settlement, and all persons indebted to the same are requested to make immediate payment.

JOSEPH DAILY, Adm'r.
Allegheny Tp., Nov. 12, 1868.-6t.

LIST OF CAUSES set down for trial at a Court of Common Pleas of Cambria County, to be held at Ebensburg, commencing on Monday, the 7th day of December next:

Ferren et. al, As'ne vs. Hunt.
Bloodgood's Ex'r vs. Morrison, Executor.
Smith et. al. vs. Adams.
Leidy, Adm'x vs. Simmons.
Hughes. vs. Crum.
Byrne vs. Moore.
M'Gonigle vs. Burke.
Same vs. Same.
Evans vs. McBride et. al.

GEO. C. K. ZAHM, Prothonotary.
Prothy's Office, Ebensburg, Nov. 12, 1868.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE!—By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, to me directed, there will be exposed to Public Sale, at the house of Lawrence Schroth, in Carrolltown, on FRIDAY, the 4th day of December next, at 2 o'clock P. M., the following described valuable Real Estate, to wit: The one undivided four-fifths of that certain PIECE OR PARCEL OF LAND situate in Carroll township, Cambria county, Pa, adjoining lands of Adam Lieb, —— Sheriff, Michael Forabaugh and Peter Springer, containing 77 ACRES and 89 PERCHES, more or less, about 20 Acres of which are cleared.

TERMS OF SALE—One half of the purchase money to be paid on confirmation of the sale, and the residue in one year thereafter, to be secured by the mortgage and judgment bond of the purchaser.

JOSEPH A. KRUMENACHER,
Guardian of Margaret Lynch, (formerly Margaret Haynes), Catharine Haynes, Celestine Haynes and Jacob Haynes. [Nov.12-3t.

FARMERS, ATTEND!—The undersigned offers for sale one of the most desirable FARMS in Cambria county, situate in Summerhill township, within two miles of the Pa. R. R. at Wilmore, and containing TWO HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINE ACRES, about 100 Acres of which are cleared, under fence, and in a good state of cultivation, with a splendid apple orchard and a good Log House and Stable on the premises. The property will be sold together, or in lots to suit purchasers. The terms, which are easy, will be made known by R. L. Johnston, Esq., Ebensburg, and an indisputable title made to the purchaser.

JEREMIAH McGONIGLE.
Hemlock, Nov. 12, 1868.-tf.

HOLLIDAYSBURG SEMINARY.

A Boarding School for Young Ladies.

Rev. JOSEPH WAUGH, A. M., Principal.
CARL F. KOLBE, Prof. of Music, French and German.
Competent Assistants in other Departments.
None but experienced and successful Teachers are employed in this Institution.
Healthful and Beautiful Situation.
Building elegant and complete in all its parts. Supplied with Gas, Water, Bath Rooms, Wardrobes, and all home comforts.
Next Session opens January 13th, 1869.
Hollidaysburg, Nov. 12, 1868. 3m.

STEAM FIRE-PROOF SAFES.

SANBORN'S PATENT has been demonstrated, by the most thoroughly practical tests, to be vastly superior in fire proof qualities to any other makers, (being water in copper tubes hermetically sealed,) preventing completely any evaporation and is the driest safe in use. The patent can be applied to any safe. Before purchasing elsewhere call and examine, or send for pamphlet containing the certificates of trials with all other makers safes.

American Steam Fire Proof Safe Company.
300 Broadway, New York.
Nov. 12, 1868.-3m.

628 HOOP SKIRTS 628
AND
CORSETS, CORSETS.

WM. T. HOPKINS, No. 628 ARCH ST., PHILA., Manufacturer of the celebrated "CHAMPION" HOOP SKIRTS for Ladies, Misses and Children—the largest assortment and best quality and styles in the American Market. Every lady should try them, as they recommend themselves by wearing longer, retaining their shape much better, being lighter and much more elastic than all others —WARRANTED in every respect, and sold at very low prices. Ask for HOPKINS' "CHAMPION" SKIRT.

Superior Hand-made Whale bone CORSETS in Fifteen different Grades, including the "Imperial" and THOMPSON & LANGDON'S "GLOVE FITTING" CORSETS, ranging in prices from 81 Cents to $5 50; together with Jos Beckel's celebrated FRENCH WOVEN CORSETS, superior shapes and quality, 10 different Grades, from $1.10 to $5,50. They are the finest and best goods for the prices ever imported. The Trade supplied with HOOP SKIRTS and CORSETS at the Lowest Rates.

☞ Those visiting the City should not fail to call and examine our Goods and Prices, as we defy all competition. [Nov.12. 4m.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that the following accounts have been passed and filed in the Register's Office at Ebensburg, and will be presented to the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, for confirmation and allowance, on Monday, the 7th day of December next, to wit:

The first and final account of John Benton, Adm'r cum testamento annexo of Levi R. Hunt, late of John-town, dec'd.

The final account of Wm. C Lewis, guardian of Emma Bitte, minor child of John Bitte, late of Johnstown, dec'd.

The account of P. Bearer, Ex'r of Andrew Strittmatter, Sr., late of Carroll twp., dec'd.

The account of P F Kearney, Executor of Michael Kearney, late of Allegheny tp., dec'd.

The account of Francis Bearer, Esq., Adm'r of Richard Ashcraft, late of Carroll tp., dec'd.

The account of Lewis Dunmyer, Guardian of Susannah Bomgardner.

The third account of John E. Scanlan, Trustee appointed by the Orphans' Court to sell the real estate of which John Noel, late of Washington township, died seized.

The account of F. Bearer, Esq., Adm'r of James Conner, late of Susquehanna tp., dec'd.

The account of James Farren and Patrick Owens, Ex'rs of Thomas O'Brien, late of Munster township, dec'd.

The account of Joseph Criste, Guardian of Robert Donaldson, a minor child of Edward Donaldson, late of Washington twp., dec'd.

The first account of Wm. C. Lewis, Adm'r de bonis non of David Hite, late of Johnstown, deceased.

JAMES GRIFFIN, Register.
Register's Office, Ebensburg, Nov. 7, 1868.-4t.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE!—By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, to me directed, there will be exposed to Public Sale, on the premises in Susquehanna township, on SATURDAY, THE 28TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, inst., at 1 o'clock P. M., the following described real estate of which Henry Lloyd, late of Susquehanna twp., died seized: A PIECE OR PARCEL OF LAND situated in Susquehanna township, Cambria county, adjoining lands of Lloyd & Craver, Uriah Lloyd, Abraham Kerns, heirs of Richard Nagle, and others, containing 131 ACRES and 156 PERCHES, about 50 Acres of which are cleared, having thereon erected a one-and-a-half story Frame House.

TERMS OF SALE—One-third of the purchase money to be paid on confirmation of sale, and the residue in two equal annual payments, with interest, to be secured by the mortgage and judgment bonds of the purchaser.

AUGUSTINE CRAVER,
Administrator of Henry Lloyd, dec'd.
Susquehanna Tp., Nov. 5, 1868.-4t.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of Administration on the estate of Catharine Otterson, late of Summitville borough, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of Cambria county, notice is hereby given to those indebted to said estate to make payment without delay, and those having claims against the same will present them duly authenticated for settlement.

Nov.5-6t. JAMES BROWN, Adm'r.

NOTICE.—Letters of Administration cum testamento annexo on the estate of John Fitzpatrick, late of Summerhill township, dec'd, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons innebted to said estate will make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

F. A. SHOEMAKER, Administrator.
Ebensburg, Oct. 29, 1868.-6t

L. L. LANGSTROTH'S

PATENT MOVABLE COMB BEE HIVE!

PRONOUNCED THE BEST EVER YET introduced in this County or State. Any person buying a family right can have their Bees transferred from an old box to a new one. In every instance in which this has been done the result has been entirely satisfactory, and the first take of honey has invariably paid all expenses, and frequently exceeded them. Proof of the superior merits of this invention will be found in the testimony of every man who has given it a trial, and among the number are the gentlemen named below, and their experience should induce every one interested in Bees to

BUY A FAMILY RIGHT!

Henry C. Kirkpatrick, of Carroll township, took 106 pounds of surplus honey from two hives, which he sold at 35 cents per pound.

Adam Deitrich, of Carroll township, took from two hives 100 pounds of surplus honey.

James Kirkpatrick, of Chest township, took 60 pounds of surplus honey from one hive.

Jacob Kirkpatrick, of Chest township, obtained 72 pounds of surplus honey from one hive, worth not less than $21, and the right cost him only $5.

Peter Campbell from one hive obtained 36 pounds of surplus honey at one time.

☞ Quite a number of similar statements, authenticated by some of the best citizens of Cambria county, could be obtained in proof of the superior merits of Langstroth's Patent Movable Comb Bee Hive.

Persons wishing to purchase family rights should call on or address

PETER CAMPBELL,
Nov. 5, 1868.-tf. Carrolltown, Pa.

NOTICE.—Rule on the Heirs and Legal Representatives of David Abrams, deceased.

CAMBRIA COUNTY, ss.—The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to Morris W. Jones, Assignee of Abram Abrams, Ebenezer Abrams and Evan Abrams, heirs of David Abrams, late of Cambria county, dec'd; David Abrams, Assignee of Elizabeth Hedden, an heir of said dec'd; Jane Martin (formerly Abrams) and John Bennett, guardian PRO HOC VICE of Evan Bennett, Elizabeth Bennett, Harriet Bennett and Martha Bennett, minor children of Catharine Bennett, (formerly Abrams,) now deceased: You and every of you are hereby cited to be and appear before the Judges of our Orphans' Court, at an Orphans' Court to be held at Ebensburg, in and for said county, on Monday, the 7th day of December next, then and there to accept or refuse to take the real estate of said David Abrams, dec'd, at the appraised valuation put upon it by the inquest awarded by the said Court, and returned by the Sheriff of said county on the 9th of September, 1868, to wit: Purpart No. 1—a piece or parcel of land containing 101½ acres, appraised at the sum of $7 per acre Purpart No. 2, valued and appraised at the sum of $5 per acre. Herein fail not.

Witness the Hon George Taylor, President Judge of our said Court, at Ebensburg, this 9th day of Sept., A. D. 1868.

JAMES GRIFFIN Clerk O. C.
Attest—JOHN A. BLAIR, Sheriff. [oct.29.]

NOTICE.

HOW MUCH LAND HAVE WE?—Excluding Alaska, says a Washington correspondent of the Cincinnati *Commercial*, we own in public land nearly a billion and a half of acres. Including Alaska, we own a billion and eight hundred millions. Half a million of acres of this has been surveyed. At the rate we sold and gave away land last year, two hundred years will see the State, like a profligate heir, run through its whole possessions. In Florida we still possess seventeen and a half million of acres; in Ohio only five hundred acres unappropriated; in Missouri nearly two million acres; in Alabama seven million acres; the same amount in Louisiana; in California one hundred and six millions of acres, so that that State really owns only about one-eighth of herself. Very few of the new States have any land claim to State sovereignty.—Kansas, for example, belongs more than half to the United States, and Mississippi, when she seceded, as now, owed one-eighth of her soil to the United States. A vast portion of country is the property of nobody, but is the commonwealth of our confederacy, while spotting its surface, like sails at sea, are little tracts and hamlets set aside in obedience to some international law, or by the good policy of beneficence.

NO MONEY FOR A DOUNDERING ROD.—At a parish meeting in one of the towns in the interior of Pennsylvania, where a new meeting house had just been erected, the question was agitated with respect to having a lightning rod put up. Opinions were freely interchanged, and the project seemed to meet with general favor, until an influential and wealthy old German thus let himself swing, giving utterance to a rather novel statement, one not in accordance with the generally received opinion of the established laws of Nature and Providence:

"Now, gentlemens, I tells you vat I tinks. I tinks we hash beens to much troubl and expensh, and none has gin tollars more as I to build a church for te Lord, and next Sunday we gives it to him, and if he will dounder down his own house den I says let him dounder away—I gives no vote nor monish for doundering rod!"

This *multum in parvo* speech proved a settler of the question, the enterprise was abandoned, the meeting was adjourned sine die, and the worthy parishoners harmonized beautifully over a glass of larger at the village inn.

A BRAVE IRISH GIRL.—Several women were bathing at Nahant, lately, when one was carried out by the sea beyond her depth, and after screaming for assistance, suddenly went down. One of her friends close by, not knowing the depth of the water, went to try and save her, and she, too, as quickly disappeared. A young woman residing in the family of Dr. Mifflin, at Nahant, named Bridget Mary O'Toole (her name is given, to her praise, in full, for it is worthy of record), at a great risk, instantly swam out to them, and after a hard struggle brought them into shoal water—having her own bathing dress almost torn from her, and being twice drawn under the water herself.—Those who witnessed the scene at once reported the facts to the Humane Society, and the girl is to be presented with a medal for her heroism and humanity.

SOAP.—Get from a druggist a pint box of concentrated lye for 40 cents. Empty contents into a gallon of boiling water. Let it have ten hours to dissolve. Then empty it into a boiler, add another gallon of water, and when the two gallons boil pour in four pounds of liquid grease, stirring it well until thoroughly mixed. Let it simmer for four or six hours, and half an hour before taking it off a gallon of hot water may be added. Two tablespoonfuls of pulverized borax and four of rosin add greatly to its detersive qualities; but a teacup full of salt must be thrown in.—When thought done, dip in a case knife, and if the mass drops clear, ropy and chills quickly, it is soap. Empty into a wash tub having the sides wet, and in a few hours you will have twenty-five pounds of hard white soap ready to be cut for use.

SHORT RULE FOR MEASURING GRAIN.—An exchange says: It is convenient to farmers and croppers to have an easy and correct rule by which to measure corn in cribs. Here is one: Having leveled the corn in the crib, measure the length, breadth, and depth, and multiply them together, and deduct from the product one fifth; and you have the number of bushels in the car. For shelled corn take one half of this. To be strictly correct, add half a bushel for every one hundred. Farmers who are fond of cyphering can test the correctness of this rule by taking 1,728 solid inches for a foot, and 2,150 inches in a bushel, and see that the latter is nearly one-fifth larger than the former.

CURE FOR IN-GROWING NAILS.—It is stated that cauterization by hot tallow is an immediate cure for in-growing nails. Put a small piece of tallow in a spoon, and heat it over a lamp until it becomes very hot, and drop two or three drops between the nail and granulation. The effect is almost magical. Pain and tenderness are at once relieved, and in a few days the granulations all go, leaving the diseased parts dry, so as to admit of being pared away without any inconvenience. The operation causes little if any pain, if the tallow is properly heated.

TO REMOVE A MOTE FROM THE EYE.—Take a horse hair and double it, leaving a loop. If the mote can be seen, lay the loop over it, close the eye, and the mote will come out when the hair is withdrawn. If the irritating object cannot be seen, raise the lid of the eye as far as possible, and place the loop as far in as you can, close the eye and roll the ball around a few times, then draw out the hair; the substance which causes so much pain will be sure to come with it. This method is practiced by ax makers and other workers of steel.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS

MERCHANTS or FARMERS desiring any of the above for their FALL or WINTER trade or use, should address
R. H ALLEN & CO.,
F. O. Box 376. New York.

A NEW PLAN

FOR THE FORMATION OF LIBRARIES, both public and private, for towns and villages at a small cost. The details will be made known in a Circular now ready. Address
D. APPLETON & CO., New York.

AGENTS WANTED FOR
"THE BLUE COATS,

And how they Lived, Fought and Died for the Union, with Scenes and Incidents in the Great Rebellion." It contains over 100 fine Engravings and 500 pages, and is the spiciest and cheapest war book published. Price only $2.50 per copy. Send for circulars and see our terms and full particulars of work. Address JONES BROTHERS & CO., Phila., Pa; Cincinnati, Ohio; Chicago, Ill., or St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Clergymen, Teachers, and Superintendents of Sabbath Schools and others, to act as Agents for the HOME BOOK OF WONDERS, a work of great interest, fully illustrated; also for the COTTAGE BIBLE, AND FAMILY EXPOSITOR, in two volumes, containing nearly 1500 pages, comprising the Old and New Testaments, with practical expositions and explanatory notes, by THOS. WILLIAMS.

A few of the many Recommendations:

From the late Rev. Joel Hawes, D. D., Pastor of First Congregational Church, Hartford: "I know of no commentary so cheap that contains so great an amount of valuable matter."

From Rev. N. H. Eggleston, D.D., Pastor of Plymouth Church, Chicago, Ill.: "I cheerfully recommend it as the BEST commentary on the Scriptures for general use." For terms and circulars address A. BRAINARD, Hartford, Ct.

BOOK AGENTS

ARE meeting with rare success in selling Sir S. W. BAKER'S EXPLORATIONS and ADVENTURES among the NILE TRIBUTARIES OF ABYSSINIA, to which is now added an account of the Captivity and Release of English Subjects, and the career of the late Emperor Theodore. No book is received among all classes of people with such unbounded favor, or so fully combines thrilling interest with solid instruction. Agents, male and female, sell it rapidly. "An admirable record of scientific exploration, geographical discovery, and personal adventure."—N. Y. Tribune. "It is issued in very attractive form, and is as entertaining as a romance."—Boston Journal. Full particulars sent on application to O. C. CASE & CO., Publishers, Hartford, Ct.

AGENTS WANTED!
The New and Popular Illustrated Work,
RECOLLECTIONS OF A BUSY LIFE,
BY HORACE GREELEY.

Is now ready for delivery, and we want agents for the same in every town and township. Every family should have it, and it will have a good sale. Sold only by subscription, and exclusive territory given. Send for circulars, and see our terms and a full description of the work. Address BLISS & CO., 190 Broad st. Newark, N.J.

THE GREAT NEW YORK AGRICULTURAL, HORTICULTURAL & FAMILY NEWSPAPER.—The **Rural American**, published in the city of New York, is now the LARGEST and MOST ELEGANT paper of its class in the United States. Price $1.50 a year; 10 copies $12.50; 20 copies $20, or only ONE DOLLAR A YEAR! Every subscriber in clubs of ten, at $1.50, will receive a free package of EARLY ROSE POTATOES, selling at $40 per bbl., POSTAGE PAID, worth $1.25. The RURAL AMERICAN is everywhere admitted to be the BEST, CHEAPEST and MOST PRACTICAL farmers' and fruit-growers' paper in this country. Its editor-in-chief is an old farmer and fruit-grower of FORTY YEARS' experience! The publication of this paper was removed in June last from Utica, N. Y., to New York City; and the Editorial and Business Office to New Brunswick, N. J., (near N. York,) where its proprietor owns a farm within the City limits, of 122 acres, worth $50 000; and also has a large CASH capital to ensure PERMANENCY to his publication. Club Agents wanted everywhere, who are paid a very liberal compensation. Samples of paper, blank subscription lists, etc., sent free. Address T. B. MINER, N. Brunswick, New Jersey.

ST. LOUIS AND IRON MOUNTAIN

RAILROAD COMPANY'S Seven per cent. first Mortgage Bonds. February and Aug. Coupons. The earnings of the complete road to Pilot Knob are now more than the interest on the entire mortgage. The proceeds of these Bonds are adding to the security every day.—Over $8,000,000 have been spent on the property, and not over $2 000.000 of bonds issued thus far. The constantly increasing traffic of carrying ORE, with the prospect of controlling all the travel from St. Louis to the Southern States, ensures an enormous revenue. The Directors own 8-10 of the stock for investment, and are interested to enrich the property as well as to economise its expenses.

☞ THOS. ALLEN, Pres't, St. Louis, Mo.

We, the undersigned, cordially recommend these seven per cent. mortgage bonds of the St. Louis and Iron Mountain Railroad as a good security. The revenue of the road will be large and the administration of the affairs of the Company is in capable and experienced hands, and entitled to the greatest confidence of the public.
JAMES H. THOMAS, Mayor of St. Louis.
JOHN J. ROE, Pres't St. Louis Chamber Com'ce.
E. W. FOX, Pres't St. Louis Board of Trade
BARTON BATES, Pres't North Missouri Railroad.
J. H. BRITTON, Pres't Nat. Bank of State of Mo
WM L. EWING, Pres't Mer. N. B. of St. Louis.
GEO. H. REA, Pres't 2d Nat. Bank of St. Louis.
JAS. B. EADS, Cf. Eng. St. Lo's & Ill. Br'ge Co
GEO. W. TAYLOR, Pre't Pacific R. R. (of Mo.)
WM. TASSIG, Pres't Traders' Bank, St. Louis.
JOHN R. LIONBERGER, Pres't T. N. B'k, St. L's
ADOLPHUS MEIER, V. Pres't U. Pacific Railway
ROBERT BARTH, Pres't German Savings Inst'n

Coupons payable in the city of New York. A limited number of the above named Bonds for sale at Eighty-five. Parties living out of the city can remit by draft or express, and the bonds will be returned by express free of charges. We invite the attention of capitalists and others to them as, in our opinion, a very desirable investment, destined to rank as a first-class security. Descriptive Pamphlets, Maps and information can be had on application to TOWNSEND, WHELEN & CO., No. 309 Walnut street, Philadelphia, Agents of the St. Louis and Iron Mountain R. R. Co.

Phila references—Cambria Iron Co.; Gaw, Bacon & Co.; Thos. A. Biddle & Co.

RED JACKET AXE.

COLBURN'S PATENT!

Patented July 9, '67. Re-issued Aug. 18, '68.

Extracts from Letters and Reports of the working qualities of the Axe:

I. Your Axe is bound to be THE AXE.
II. It will cut 25 per cent. better.
III. My brother lost one arm in the war, but with your Axe he can cut as well as any one else can
IV. If I could not get another, twenty-five ($25) dollars would not buy it.
V. It will cut hoop-poles better than any other Axe.
VI. I would not be without it for anything.

For sale by all responsible dealers, and the makers, LIPPINCOTT & BAKEWELL,
PITTSBURGH, PA.

Manufacturers of the RED JACKET AXES, SAWS, SADDLES & SCOOPS, and all approved Shapes and Styles of AXES. Sole owners of Colburn's Pat'ts.

GOODSPEED'S Golden Fountain Pens.

—60 lines written with one pen of ink. No blotting. One dozen assorted samples sent for 25 cts. Agents make $10 a day. Address GOODSPEED & Co., 37 Park Row, N.Y.

$2000 *A YEAR and Expenses to Agents* to introduce the *Wilson Sewing Machine*. Stitch alike on both sides. Samples on 2 weeks trial. Extra inducements to experienced agents. For further particulars address the WILSON SEWING MACHINE CO., Cleveland, Ohio; Boston, Mass., or St. Louis, Mo.

SOMETHING NEW—Ladies and Gents—Just patented. It must be seen to be appreciated; therefore we send sample and illustrated circular free. Agents wanted. SPENCE & Co., 14 Park Place, New York.

YACHT CLUB SMOKING TOBACCO

Is everywhere pronounced, by competent judges to be superior to others for the following reasons:

It is made of the finest stock grown.
It has a mild and agreeable aroma.
It is anti-nervous in its effects, as
It is free from GUMS, the NICOTINE
Having also been extracted.
It leaves no acrid, disagreeable aftertaste.
Does not sting or burn the tongue.
Leaves no offensive odor in the room.
Orders for elegant MEERSCHAUM Pipes
Are daily packed in various bags.
It is of a bright golden color.
Being very light, one pound will last
Two to three times as long as others.
Buy it, try it, and convince yourself. If
Your dealer does not keep it ask him to get it.

EUREKA SMOKING TOBACCO

Is also a very good article, and makes an excellent smoke. It is much lower in price and of heavier body than the former, and its sale, wherever introduced, is not only permanent but constantly on the increase. Orders for elegant Meerschaum Pipes are also placed in the various bags of this brand daily.

Be sure you get Lorillard's.

We are still packing $100 daily in CENTURY Chewing Tobacco, and have lately improved its quality very much.

A. E. & CO.

WE are prepared to supply the public with Useful and Ornamental Articles, Goods for Winter Wear, &c., &c., from our Mammoth ONE DOLLAR SALE HOUSE. (Licensed by the U. S. Authority,) for the standard price of ONE DOLLAR for each article.

Having been engaged in this business for some time past, and clearly knowing the wants of the people, we have enlarged our Exchange List over One Hundred articles, (both useful and ornamental), more than any other House in the trade, and we feel confident an agent once gained will be retained.

Besides our Mammoth Exchange List, our inducements to agents excel that of any other house in the business.

Any lady or gentleman, by spending a few of their leisure moments, can obtain a Gold Watch, Silk Dress pattern, Sewing Machine, &c., &c., free of cost.

Goods ordered from our house will be sent C. O. D., when desired.

Send for Circular, giving full particulars.—Circular and sample sent free to any address.
ATWOOD, BATES & CO.,
5 Lindall St., Boston, Mass.

50 Per Cent. Saved

TO Housekeepers and others who order their goods from our GREAT ONE DOLLAR SALE of Dry Goods, Fancy Goods, Plated Ware Cutlery, &c., &c. We send Circular free of expense to any part of the United States; send for one and see our terms. You will save money by addressing GEO. DRYDEN & CO., 19 Milk St., Boston, Mass. ☞ Agents wanted in every town in the country.

A $5 Greenback

Of full value sent free to any Book Agent.

BOOK AGENTS WANTED FOR
MATTHEW HALE SMITH'S NEW BOOK,
"Sunshine and Shadow in New York."

A WORK OF ABSORBING INTEREST, REPLETE WITH ANECDOTES AND INCIDENTS OF LIFE IN THE GREAT METROPOLIS. Our Agent in Hartford sold 80 in one day; one agent in N. J. sold 227 in 15 days; one agent in Mass. sold 250 in one week; one agent in Conn. sold 304 in one week. No book published that sells so rapidly.

IF You wish to know how Fortunes are made and lost in a day; how Shrewd Men are ruined in Wall Street; how 'Countrymen' are swindled by Sharpers; how Ministers and Merchants are Blackmailed; how Dance Halls and Concert Saloons are Managed; how Gambling Houses and Lotteries are conducted; how Stock Companies Originate and how the Bubbles Burst—read this work. It tells you all about the mysteries of New York, and contains biographical sketches of its noted Millionaires, Merchants, &c. A large Octavo Vol., 720 pages, Finely Illustrated. The largest commission given. Our 32-page Circular and $5 Greenback sent Free on application. For full particulars and terms, address the Publishers.
J. B BURR & CO., Hartford, Conn.

WANTED—AN AGENT in each town to take the agency for the sale of BRADSTREET'S RUBBER MOULDING AND WEATHER STRIPS, applied to the sides, bottom, top and centre of doors and windows. The sale is beyond anything ever offered to agents. From Ten to Twenty-five Dollars a day can be made. Send for agents' circular. First who apply secure a bargain.
J. B BRADSTREET & CO., Boston, Mass

EBENSBURG FOUNDRY
AGAIN IN FULL BLAST!

NEW FIRM, NEW BUILDINGS, &c.

HAVING purchased the well known EBENSBURG FOUNDRY from Mr. Edw. Glass, and rebuilt and enlarged it almost entirely, besides refitting it with new machinery, the subscribers are now prepared to furnish

COOK, PARLOR & HEATING STOVES,

of the latest and most approved patterns THRESHING MACHINES, MILL GEARING, ROSE and WATER WHEELS of every description, IRON FENCING, PLOUGHS and PLOUGH CASTINGS, and in fact all manner of articles manufactured in a first class Foundry. Job Work of all kind attended to promptly and done cheaply.

The special attention of Farmers is invited to two newly patented PLOUGHS which we possess the sole right to manufacture and sell in this county, and which are admitted to be the best ever introduced to the public.

Believing ourselves capable of performing any work in our line in the most satisfactory manner, and knowing that we can do work at LOWER PRICES than have been charged in this community heretofore we confidently hope that we will be found worthy of liberal patronage.

Fair reductions made to wholesale dealers.

☞ The highest prices paid in cash for old metal, or castings given in exchange.

OUR TERMS ARE STRICTLY CASH OR COUNTRY PRODUCE. CONVERY, VINROE & CO.
Ebensburg, Sept. 2, 1868.

GREAT BARGAINS!!!

Will be sold at a great sacrifice, if sold soon, a number of

THRESHING MACHINES, PLOUGHS,
POINTS and other FARMING IMPLEMENTS, and CASTINGS.

COME AND SEE, FARMERS,
and you cannot fail to purchase.
Ebensburg, July 30, 1868. E. GLASS

W. F. ALTFATHER,
MANUFACTURER
And Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
HAVANA AND DOMESTIC CIGARS,
PLUG AND FINE CUT
Chewing and Smoking Tobacco.
Snuff, Pipes, Snuff Boxes & Cigar Cases.
AT THE SIGN OF THE INDIAN,
MAIN STREET, - - - JOHNSTOWN.

THE MERCHANTS'
PROTECTIVE UNION
MERCANTILE REFERENCE REGISTER.

THE MERCHANTS' PROTECTIVE UNION, organized to promote and protect trade, by enabling its subscribers to attain facility and safety in the granting of credits, and the recovery of claims at all points, have to announce that they will, in September, 1868, publish in one large quarto volume:

THE MERCHANTS' PROTECTIVE UNION MERCANTILE REFERENCE REGISTER, containing, among other things, the Names, Nature of Business, Amount of Capital, Financial Standing, and Rating as to Credit, of over 400 000 of the principal merchants, traders, bankers, manufacturers, and public companies, in more than 30,000 of the cities, towns, villages, and settlements throughout the United States, their territories, and the British Provinces of North America; and embracing the most important information attainable and necessary to enable the merchant to ascertain at a glance the Capital, Character, and Degree of Credit of such of his customers as are deemed worthy of any gradation of credit, comprising, also, a NEWSPAPER DIRECTORY, containing the title, character, price, and place of publication, with full particulars relative to each journal, being a complete guide to the press of every county, in the United States.

The reports and information will be confined to those deemed worthy of some line of credit; and as the same will be based, so far as practicable, upon the written statements of the parties themselves, revised and corrected by well known and reliable legal correspondents, whose character will prove a guarantee of the correctness of the information furnished by them, it is believed that the reports will prove more truthful and complete, and, therefore, superior to, and of much greater value, than any previously issued.

By aid of the Mercantile Reference Register, business men will be enabled to ascertain at a glance, the capital and gradation of credit, as compared with financial worth, of nearly every merchant, manufacturer, trader, and banker, within the above named territorial limits.

On or about the first of each month, subscribers will also receive the Monthly Chronicle, containing, among other things, a record of such important changes in the name and condition of firms, throughout the country, as may occur subsequent to the publication of each half-yearly volume of the Mercantile Reference Register.

Price of The Merchants' Union Mercantile Reference Register, fifty dollars, ($50,) for which it will be forwarded to any address in the United States, transportation paid.

Holders of five $10 shares of the Capital Stock, in addition to participating in the profits, will receive one copy of the Mercantile Reference Register free of charge; holders of ten shares will be entitled to two copies; and no more than ten shares of the Capital Stock will be allotted to any one applicant.

All remittances, orders, or communications relative to the book should be addressed to the Merchants' Protective Union, in the American Exchange Bank Building, No. 128 Broadway, (Box 2566,) New York.
September 17, 1868-3m.

EBENSBURG
DRUG AND BOOK STORE.

HAVING recently enlarged our stock we are now prepared to sell at a great reduction from former prices. Our stock consists of Drugs, Medicines, Perfumery, Fancy Soaps, Leon's, Hall's and Allen's Hair Restoratives, Pills, Ointments, Plasters, Liniments, Pain Killers, Citrate Magnesia, Ess Jamaica Ginger, Pure Flavoring Extracts, Essences, Lemon Syrup, Soothing Syrup, Spiced Syrup, Rhubarb, Pure Spices, &c.;

CIGARS AND TOBACCOS.

Blank Books, Deeds, Notes and Bonds; Cap, Post, Commercial and all kinds of Note Paper; Envelopes, Pens, Pencils, Arnold's Writing Fluid, Black and Red Ink, Pocket and Pass Books, Magazines, Newspapers, Novels, Histories, Bibles, Religious, Prayer and Toy Books, Penknives, Pipes, &c.

☞ We have added to our stock a lot of FINE JEWELRY, to which we would invite the attention of the Ladies.

PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS at lower prices than ever offered in this place.

Paper and Cigars sold either wholesale or retail. LEMMON & MURRAY,
July 30, 1868. Main Street, Ebensburg.

THE ALTOONA WARE HOUSE CO.,
WHOLESALE
Dealers and Commission Merchants
Corner Virginia St. and Plank Road,

Will keep constantly on hand a large and well selected assortment of FLOUR, FEED, SALT, FISH, GRAIN, COAL, LIME, SAND, &c., **at wholesale,** in Altoona City, and the adjoining counties can be supplied with the leading articles generally used by them at city and mill prices.

All kinds of country produce received and paid for in cash, or sold on commission.—Prompt returns will be made.

Storage furnished for all articles, such as floor lumber, shooks, shingles, etc.

Articles will be delivered to purchasers or sent to freight warehouse.

Having the only house where goods by the car load can be removed at the door, thus saving drayage, our customers will receive the benefit of it.

Price currents will be sent weekly to persons desiring them.

THE ALTOONA WAREHOUSE CO.
Altoona, April 30, 1868.-tf.

ANDREW MOSES,
MERCHANT TAILOR,

SUPPES'S BUILDING, CLINTON ST., JOHNSTOWN,

HAS just received his fall and winter stock of fine French, London and American CLOTHS, CASSIMERES and VESTINGS, and a full assortment of Gent's FURNISHING Goods.

Mr. Moses has been for eight years cutter at Wood, Morrell & Co.'s establishment, and now desires to inform his friends and the public generally that he has commenced business in Supes's building, on Clinton street, with a stock of goods adapted to the fall and winter, which he is prepared to make up in the latest styles and at moderate prices for cash hoping by attention to business to merit a share of public patronage, and maintain that success which has heretofore attended his efforts in producing good fitting garments. Give him a call.
Johnstown, Sept. 2, 1868.-tf.

FOREIGN SHIPPING
AND
EXCHANGE OFFICE.

We are now selling Exchange (at New York Rates on

England,	Ireland,	Scotland,
Wales,	Germany,	Prussia,
Austria,	Bavaria,	Wurtemberg,
Baden,	Hessen,	Saxony,
Hanover,	Belgium,	Switzerland,
Holland,	Norway and	France.

And Tickets to and from any Port in

England,	Ireland,	Scotland,
Germany,	France,	California,
New South Wales or		Australia.

KERR & CO.

JOHN CROUSE,
WHOLESALE DEALER IN
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC WINES
AND LIQUORS.
BEST BRANDS OF BRANDY, WHISKY, IRISH WHISKY, GIN, &c., &c.

The very best qualities of Liquors, Wines, &c., for Medical purposes. Prices LOW.
☞ Hotel and Saloon keepers will do well to give me a call at my store on Canal street, in building formerly occupied by T. G. Stewart & Co. Johnstown, Aug. 27, 1868.-tf.

GEIS & REUTH,
Johnstown, Pa.,
BOOKSELLERS, STATIONERS
AND BOOK BINDERS
MANUFACTURERS OF BLANK BOOKS. PORTE-MONAIS. PAPER BOXES AND LOOKING GLASSES.

Looking Glass and Picture Frames always on hand, and made to order. A large and most complete assortment of Drawing Room and Miscellaneous Pictures, consisting of Chromos, Paintings in Oil, Steel Plate Engravings, Plain and Colored Lithographs, Oil Prints, Photographs and Wood Cuts.—This collection embraces a selection of large sized match pictures of Landscape and Domestic Scenes and Portraits, and 5,000 different varieties of Card Photographs of prominent men, comic and sentimental scenes and copies of subjects by celebrated artists. We have also a varied assortment of BIBLES, PRAYER, HYMN and SCHOOL BOOKS, HISTORIES, BIOGRAPHIES, NOVELS, &c. Religious Prints and Emblems in great variety, and the largest and most complete stock of STATIONERY ever brought to this county. 500 new and beautiful styles of WALL PAPER, including an assortment of Potter's celebrated English make, for which we are sole agents in this locality. These Wall Papers are handsomer in design, superior in finish, and 2½ inches wider than any other make.

The citizens of Ebensburg and vicinity are respectfully notified that we make BOOK BINDING and the manufacture of BLANK BOOKS a speciality. All work promptly executed at moderate rates.

☞ Store on corner of Clinton and Locust streets, immediately opposite Foster House.
Johnstown, Oct 24, 1867 -tf.

CHAIR MANUFACTORY.
WM. P. PATTON,
JOHNSTOWN, PA.
ALL KINDS OF CHAIRS,

such as common Windsor Chairs, Fret Back Chairs, Vienna Chairs, Bustle Chairs, Rim Backed Chairs, Sociable Chairs,

Cane Seat Chairs,

ROCKING CHAIRS, OF EVERY SIZE.

SPRING SEAT CHAIRS

Settees, Lounges, &c., &c.

CABINET FURNITURE

of every description and of latest
STYLES, WITH PRICES TO SUIT THE
Tastes of all.

Thankful for past favors, he respectfully solicits a liberal share of public patronage. Clinton Street, Johnstown Cambria Co. Pa. [Jan. 31, 1867.

WM. M. LLOYD, *President.* JOHN LLOYD, *Cashier.*

FIRST NATIONAL BANK
OF ALTOONA.
GOVERNMENT AGENCY
AND
DESIGNATED DEPOSITORY OF THE UNITED STATES.
Corner Virginia and Annie Streets, North Ward, Altoona, Pa.

Authorized Capital, - - - - - $800,000
Cash Capital paid in, - - - - - 150,000

All business pertaining to Banking done on favorable terms

Internal Revenue Stamps of all denominations, always on hand.

To purchasers of Stamps, percentage, in stamps, will be allowed, as follows:

$50 to $100, 2 per cent.; $100 to $200, 3 per cent; $200 and upwards, 4 per cent.
Jan. 31, 1867-tf.

A WORD FROM JOHNSTOWN!
JOHN J. MURPHY & CO.,
Have constantly on hand a large and well selected stock of seasonable

Dry Goods, Boots, Shoes, Groceries,

and a general variety of NOTIONS, &c.—Their stock consists of almost every article usually kept in a retail store, all of which have been selected with care and are offered at prices which cannot fail to prove satisfactory. Call and examine for yourselves.
Feb. 28, 1867.-tf. $8*

JOHN GAY. . . . . WM. WELSH
GAY & WELSH,
Successors to Gay & Painter,
WHOLESALE
Grocers and Commission Merchants,
AND DEALERS IN
FLOUR, PRODUCE, FISH, SALT, CARBON OILS, &c., &c.,
Corner Penn and Canal Sts., opposite Grain Elevator. [feb28] *Pittsburgh, Pa.*

HARVEY CHILDS. . . . LOWRIE CHILDS.
H. CHILDS & CO.,
Wholesale Dealers in
BOOTS, SHOES, AND SOLE LEATHER,
133 WOOD STREET,
PITTSBURGH, PA.

Agents for the sale of "Hope Mill" Cotton Yarn, Bags, Batting and Carpet Chain.
Feb. 28, 1867.-tf.

M. CRESSWELL, E. T. SLACK, JOHN A. RYDER, WM. D. GEMMILL.
M. McDONALD,
WITH
M. CRESSWELL & CO.,
Importers and Jobbers of
FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS,
No. 511 Market Street,
June 20, 1867.-1y. *PHILADELPHIA*

A. C. DIBERT,
WITH
BOKER & BROTHERS,
Manufacturers, and Wholesale Dealers in
CITY AND EASTERN MADE
BOOTS AND SHOES,
No. 432 MARKET STREET,
Below Fifth, South Side. - *PHILAD A.*

LLOYD & CO., Bankers,
EBENSBURG, PA.

Gold, Silver, Government Loans, and other Securities, bought and sold. Interest allowed on Time Deposits. Collections made on all accessible points in the United States, and a general Banking business transacted.
January 31, 1867.

W. **M. LLOYD & CO.,**
BANKERS, ALTOONA, PA.

Drafts on the principal cities and Silver and Gold for sale. Collections made.—Moneys received on deposit, payable on demand, without interest, or upon time, with interest at fair rates. an31.

10.000 PRIME CIGARS just received at M. L Oatman's, one door east of "Freeman" office. Also, a large stock of the best brands of Chewing Tobacco. Cigars at wholesale prices.

BACK TO FIRST PRINCIPLES
BOOTS AND SHOES
OF MY OWN MANUFACTURE.
WHAT I MAKE I CAN WARRANT!

After an experience of more than a year in the sale of Eastern made work, during which time I have expended more than the profits in repairing rips and tares, I have determined to come back to first principles and henceforth confine myself to the manufacture of BOOTS and SHOES for Men Youths, Ladies and Misses, and am now better prepared than ever to give entire satisfaction in my business.

I have at present in my employ a competent corps of workmen, and can say without fear of contradiction that I can turn out as neat and substantial Boots and Shoes at as MODERATE PRICES as can be made anywhere in the State. I am having Boots made of the finest French Calfskin and within the past month or two have had orders pouring in upon me from all quarters for this kind of work. The material in these Boots is the best to be found in the market, and the workmanship, both in neatness and strength, cannot be excelled at any other establishment in the country.

MY TRAIN ALWAYS ON TIME!

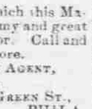
All work will be ready for delivery at the time promised. Weddings, visits and other interesting or important occurrences need not be postponed through any failure on my part to come to time.

Good work and moderate prices is my motto, and one trial will convince any person that the motto is well chosen.

☞ Repairing of Boots and Shoes attended to promptly and in a workmanlike manner.

Thankful for past favors I feel confident that my work and prices will commend me to a continuance and increase of the same.
JOHN D THOMAS.
Ebensburg, May 28, 1868.-tf.

Johnstown and Ebensburg
MARBLE WORKS!



Having again taken charge of the branch Marble Works at Ebensburg, which he will operate in connection with his extensive establishment at Johnstown, the subscriber adopts this method of informing the citizens of Cambria county, that he keeps a constant supply of the best

ITALIAN AND AMERICAN MARBLE,

which he is prepared at stated times in Ebensburg and at all times in Johnstown, to manufacture to order, either as MONUMENTS, TOMBSTONES, MANTLES, TABLE or BUREAU TOPS, in as workmanlike manner and at as low prices as like work can be put up in any of the cities. Having in my employ a full force of experienced and skillful workmen, I do not promise too much when I say that I can furnish any of the above articles on short notice, at the lowest prevailing prices, and in a style of finish which cannot be excelled by any other manufacturer in the State.

A large stock of GRINDSTONES on hand and for sale cheap.

☞ Prompt attention paid to orders from a distance and work put up wherever desired, or delivered at any point named.
JOHN PARKE
Johnstown, June 4, 1868.-tf.

REVERE THE MEMORY OF
FRIENDS DEPARTED!
MONUMENTS, TOMBSTONES, &c.

The subscriber still continues to manufacture of the best material and in the most workmanlike manner, at the

Loretto Marble Works,

all kind of MONUMENTS AND TOMBSTONES, as well as TABLE and BUREAU TOPS, and all other work in his line. None but the best American and Italian Marble used, and perfect satisfaction guaranteed to all cases at prices as low as like work can be obtained in the cities or elsewhere. Call and see specimens and judge for yourselves as to the merits cheapness of my work.
JAMES WILKINSON.
Loretto, March 12, 1868.1y.

BAILEY, FARRELL & CO.,
LEAD PIPE,
SHEET & BAR LEAD MANUFACTURERS
ALSO,
Pig Lead, Iron Pipe, Rubber Hose,
Steam Gauges, Whistles and Valves,
Iron and Copper Sinks and Bath Tubs,
Steam Pumps, Farm Pumps and Force Pumps,
And every description of goods for
WATER, GAS & STEAM.
No. 167 SMITHFIELD STREET,
PITTSBURGH, PA.
☞ Send for a Price List. [apr.23.-1y.

THE HOUSEHOLD GAS MACHINE,
FOR SUPPLYING
Dwellings, Stores, Factories, Churches and Public Buildings with Gas!
GENERATES GAS WITHOUT FIRE OR HEAT.

The simplicity and ease with which this Machine is managed, as also its economy and great merit, recommends it to public favor. Call and see machine in operation at the store.
MANUFACTURER AND SOLE AGENT,
DAVID JONES,
TIN FURNISHING STORE, No. 733 GREEN ST.,
Send for Illustrated Catalogue. PHILA.
August 20, 1868 3m.

UNION HOUSE,
EBENSBURG, PA., JEROME A. PLOTT, Proprietor, spares no pains to render this hotel worthy of a continuation of the liberal patronage it has heretofore received. His table will always be furnished with the best the market affords; his bar with the best of liquors.—His stable is large, and will be attended by an attentive and obliging hostler. Jan 30, 1868.-tf.

ST. JAMES' HOTEL,
(*Conducted on the European Plan,*)
405 & 407 LIBERTY STREET, OPPOSITE THE UNION DEPOT, PITTSBURGH, PA.
JAMES K. LANAHAN, - - - Proprietor.

This House is newly built and splendidly furnished, and convenient to all the Railroads coming into the city. The Restaurant connected with this Hotel open at all hours of the day and night. [oct.17.-1y.

PITTSBURGH STAR,
No. 429 Liberty Street.
OPPOSITE UNION PASSENGER DEPOT,
PITTSBURGH, PA.
[je.11.-1y.] FELIX HENLY, Prop'r.

MOUNTAIN HOUSE, EBENSBURG
R. P. LINTON & CO., Prop'rs.

THE TABLE is always supplied with the choicest delicacies; the BAR is supplied with choice liquors, and the STABLE attended by careful hostlers. Transient visitors accommodated and boarders taken by the week, month or year, on reasonable terms. feb21

MERCHANTS' HOTEL.
J. & W. C. M'KIBBIN, Proprietors,
Fourth St., between Market and Arch,
May 9, 1867.-1y. PHILADELPHIA.

GRAFF, WATKIN & CO.,
Wholesale Dealers in
BOOTS AND SHOES,
No. 512 MARKET STREET,
FLEM. HOLLIDAY. **PHILAD'A.**

HOUSEKEEPERS, ATTENTION!
A WASHING MACHINE
WORTH HAVING!

DOTY'S Clothes WASHER.
The best ever invented
The longer they are Used the better THEY ARE LIKED.

They are coming into general use throughout the country.

Many who sell the UNIVERSAL WRINGER keep also the DOTY WASHING MACHINE, which, although but recently introduced, is as great a *Labor* and *Clothes Saver* as the Wringer, and is destined to win public favor and patronage everywhere.

It washes *perfectly* without *wearing* or *rubbing* the clothes at all.

☞ Prices—Family Washer, $14. No. 1½ Wringer, $10.

These Machines are adopted by the *American Agriculturist* as Premiums, and endorsed by its Editors as the best in market.

HOME TESTIMONY.

Read the following testimonials from persons in Ebensburg who have used and learned to appreciate these valuable Machines:

Mr. G. Huntley—We have used one of Doty's Washing Machines, which we purchased from you several weeks since, and it gives entire satisfaction. We cheerfully recommend it to all housekeepers, and are free to say that we would not dispense with it for any consideration. It is a great saver of time, labor and clothes.
LINTON & SON, Mountain House.

I purchased one of Doty's Washers from Mr. G. Huntley and am delighted with it, and would recommend every housekeeper to get one. Mrs. A. M. PIPER.

Mr. G. Huntley—The Doty Washing Machine I purchased from you proves to be an article of real merit—the best I have ever seen. Considering the great relief it affords in the labor of washing and the saving of time, no family should be without it.
WM M. JONES.

Mr. Geo. Huntley—I am delighted with the Doty Washer purchased from you.—The more I use it the better I like it. I would not be without it. It is a great saver of time and labor, and does not wear the clothes as much as the old tub and washboard. Mrs A. BLAINE.

For sale by